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Table 3. Index numbers of output at constant factor cost.

Table 5. Consumers' expenditure.

Table 6. Value of physical increase in stocks and work in progress.

Table 7. Gross domestic fixed capital formation.

A longer run of figures at 1963 prices together with a description of the methods used is given in the April edition of *Economic Trends*.

Tables 8 and 9. Fixed capital expenditure in manufacturing industry and in the distributive and service industries. Figures in these tables have been revalued at 1963 prices.

Table 13A. Estimated future total population of the United Kingdom. This table is included for this issue only and supersedes the estimates given in Table 11A of the April 1968 issue. The assumptions on which this projection has been prepared are given on Page 16. In order to include it the tables on Civil Service staff and Agricultural workers (Tables 17, 18 and 19 in the March issue) have been omitted.

Table 171. Index numbers of wholesale prices. The index for 'New construction' has now been weighted according to 1963 values.

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I. NATIONAL INCOME AND EXPENDITURE

TABLE I

Expenditure on the gross domestic product

£ million

	Gross domestic product at factor cost(1)	Final expenditure on goods and services at market prices: Total (Unadjusted)	Total (Seasonally adjusted)	Consumers' expenditure	Public authorities' current expenditure	Gross domestic fixed capital formation	Value of physical increase in stocks and work in progress(2)	Exports of goods and services	Imports of goods and services	Taxes on expenditure	Subsidies
At current prices											
1963	26,796		36,234	20,195	5,080	4,917	228	5,814	5,950	4,048	560
1964	28,938		39,597	21,577	5,395	5,860	677	6,088	6,714	4,455	510
1965	30,834		42,107	22,956	5,915	6,309	436	6,491	6,843	4,994	564
1966	32,467		44,611	24,319	6,427	6,703	259	6,903	7,091	5,609	556
1967	34,079		46,877	25,345	7,087	7,247	184	7,014	7,582	6,006	790
1968	35,922		51,035	27,045	7,565	7,734	241	8,450	9,047	6,951	885
1966 1st quarter	7,773	10,676	10,964	5,681	1,548	1,666	79	1,702	1,775	1,265	137
2nd quarter	8,122	11,104	11,061	6,164	1,583	1,576	121	1,660	1,778	1,337	133
3rd quarter	8,165	11,289	11,266	6,132	1,618	1,680	149	1,710	1,879	1,375	130
4th quarter	8,407	11,542	11,320	6,342	1,678	1,781	− 90	1,831	1,659	1,632	156
1967 1st quarter	8,219	11,278	11,618	5,867	1,762	1,808	54	1,787	1,849	1,404	194
2nd quarter	8,541	11,751	11,643	6,321	1,722	1,765	126	1,817	1,913	1,484	187
3rd quarter	8,533	11,760	11,725	6,427	1,765	1,794	33	1,741	1,897	1,512	182
4th quarter	8,786	12,088	11,891	6,730	1,838	1,880	− 29	1,669	1,923	1,606	227
1668 1st quarter	8,638	12,223	12,564	6,451	1,892	1,957	−120	2,043	2,233	1,593	241
2nd quarter	8,866	12,544	12,415	6,649	1,858	1,814	155	2,068	2,230	1,662	214
3rd quarter	8,983	12,864	12,850	6,784	1,895	1,893	144	2,148	2,324	1,752	195
4th quarter	9,435	13,404	13,206	7,161	1,920	2,070	62	2,191	2,260	1,944	235
Revalued at 1963 prices										Adjustment to factor cost(2)	
1963	26,796		36,234	20,195	5,080	4,917	228	5,814	5,950	3,488	
1964	28,173		38,450	20,896	5,162	5,722	665	6,005	6,519	3,758	
1965	28,866		39,208	21,260	5,307	5,954	418	6,269	6,588	3,754	
1966	29,355		39,951	21,681	5,448	6,099	247	6,476	6,730	3,866	
1967	29,736		40,892	22,067	5,703	6,512	155	6,455	7,135	4,021	
1968	30,629		42,429	22,564	5,767	6,736	191	7,171	7,626	4,174	
Unadjusted											
1966 1st quarter	7,118		9,756	5,170	1,354	1,538	80	1,614	1,692	946	
2nd quarter	7,323		9,992	5,533	1,343	1,441	114	1,561	1,684	985	
3rd quarter	7,302		10,017	5,415	1,359	1,520	127	1,596	1,772	943	
4th quarter	7,612		10,186	5,563	1,392	1,600	− 74	1,705	1,582	992	
1967 1st quarter	7,235		9,958	5,157	1,446	1,636	51	1,668	1,766	957	
2nd quarter	7,488		10,315	5,529	1,403	1,590	100	1,693	1,827	1,000	
3rd quarter	7,416		10,202	5,567	1,398	1,614	26	1,597	1,787	999	
4th quarter	7,597		10,417	5,814	1,456	1,672	− 22	1,497	1,755	1,065	
1968 1st quarter	7,438		10,400	5,538	1,477	1,729	−103	1,759	1,914	1,048	
2nd quarter	7,582		10,458	5,566	1,431	1,578	124	1,759	1,890	986	
3rd quarter	7,601		10,568	5,590	1,420	1,638	110	1,810	1,937	1,030	
4th quarter	8,008		11,003	5,870	1,439	1,791	60	1,843	1,885	1,110	
Seasonally adjusted											
1966 1st quarter	7,312		10,000	5,452	1,342	1,492	91	1,623	1,708	980	
2nd quarter	7,306		9,947	5,468	1,348	1,509	76	1,546	1,667	974	
3rd quarter	7,310		10,003	5,379	1,374	1,551	71	1,628	1,733	960	
4th quarter	7,427		10,001	5,382	1,384	1,547	9	1,679	1,622	952	
1967 1st quarter	7,488		10,243	5,425	1,431	1,584	84	1,719	1,762	993	
2nd quarter	7,416		10,225	5,463	1,410	1,659	43	1,650	1,811	998	
3rd quarter	7,411		10,179	5,543	1,415	1,645	− 40	1,616	1,753	1,015	
4th quarter	7,421		10,245	5,636	1,447	1,624	68	1,470	1,809	1,015	
1968 1st quarter	7,661		10,663	5,799	1,462	1,683	− 68	1,787	1,909	1,093	
2nd quarter	7,484		10,344	5,475	1,439	1,646	65	1,719	1,872	988	
3rd quarter	7,613		10,574	5,595	1,437	1,671	42	1,829	1,920	1,041	
4th quarter	7,871		10,848	5,695	1,429	1,736	152	1,836	1,925	1,052	

(1) Equals total final expenditure on goods and services at market prices *less* imports of goods and services *less* taxes on expenditure *plus* subsidies. Estimates of the gross domestic product at constant factor cost based on statistics of output are given in Table 3.

(2) This represents taxes on expenditure *less* subsidies valued at constant rates.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Factor incomes in the gross national product

TABLE 2

£ million

	Gross national product	Net property income from abroad	Gross domestic product at factor cost	Factor incomes						less Stock appreciation	Residual error
				Total domestic income (1)	Income from employment (2)	Gross trading profits of companies (1)(3)	Gross trading surpluses of public corporations (1)(4)	Gross profits of other public enterprises (1)	Income from rent and self-employment (1)		
1963	27,190	394	26,796	26,952	18,160	4,113	846	78	3,755	−195	39
1964	29,351	413	28,938	29,302	19,662	4,616	931	91	4,002	−302	− 62
1965	31,304	470	30,834	31,478	21,218	4,820	995	96	4,349	−334	−310
1966	32,889	422	32,467	32,937	22,705	4,513	1,049	87	4,583	−320	−150
1967	34,494	415	34,079	34,152	23,417	4,694	1,111	91	4,839	−193	120
1968	36,358	436	35,922	36,798	25,046	5,194	1,338	111	5,109	−650	−226
Unadjusted											
1966 1st quarter	7,891	118	7,773	8,145	5,556	1,148	300	26	1,115	−144	−228
2nd quarter	8,253	131	8,122	8,337	5,700	1,193	282	21	1,141	−157	− 58
3rd quarter	8,279	114	8,165	8,208	5,711	1,108	214	20	1,155	20	− 63
4th quarter	8,466	59	8,407	8,247	5,738	1,064	253	20	1,172	− 39	199
1967 1st quarter	8,338	119	8,219	8,287	5,680	1,103	309	21	1,174	—	− 68
2nd quarter	8,637	96	8,541	8,551	5,813	1,236	281	23	1,198	11	− 21
3rd quarter	8,661	128	8,533	8,420	5,853	1,110	220	22	1,215	− 29	142
4th quarter	8,858	72	8,786	8,894	6,071	1,245	301	25	1,252	−175	67
1968 1st quarter	8,739	101	8,638	9,033	6,100	1,276	381	29	1,247	−228	−167
2nd quarter	8,997	131	8,866	9,212	6,226	1,349	344	26	1,267	−148	−198
3rd quarter	9,105	122	8,983	9,084	6,263	1,247	268	25	1,281	− 97	− 4
4th quarter	9,517	82	9,435	9,469	6,457	1,322	345	31	1,314	−177	143
Seasonally adjusted											
1966 1st quarter	8,115	110	8,005	8,200	5,588	1,199	260	26	1,127	−144	− 51
2nd quarter	8,196	109	8,087	8,272	5,695	1,148	265	21	1,143	−157	− 28
3rd quarter	8,280	104	8,176	8,320	5,742	1,143	260	20	1,155	20	−164
4th quarter	8,298	99	8,199	8,145	5,680	1,023	264	20	1,158	− 39	93
1967 1st quarter	8,615	103	8,512	8,333	5,708	1,149	268	21	1,187	—	179
2nd quarter	8,547	87	8,460	8,472	5,808	1,177	264	23	1,200	11	− 23
3rd quarter	8,647	114	8,533	8,535	5,891	1,139	268	22	1,215	− 29	27
4th quarter	8,685	111	8,574	8,812	6,010	1,229	311	25	1,237	−175	− 63
1968 1st quarter	9,030	91	8,939	9,083	6,130	1,329	334	29	1,261	−228	84
2nd quarter	8,875	129	8,746	9,120	6,217	1,284	324	26	1,269	−148	−226
3rd quarter	9,099	118	8,981	9,220	6,310	1,279	325	25	1,281	− 97	−142
4th quarter	9,354	98	9,256	9,375	6,389	1,302	355	31	1,298	−177	58

(1) Before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation.
(2) Wages and salaries, Forces' pay and employers' contributions.
(3) Selective employment tax is included on a cash basis and refunds or premiums are allowed for when they are received.
(4) Including the central government grant to meet the trading deficits of nationalised transport undertakings.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Index numbers of output at constant factor cost

TABLE 3 — 1963 = 100

	Gross domestic product (1)	Agriculture, forestry and fishing	Industrial production					Transport and communication	Distributive trades	Other services
			Total	Mining and quarrying	Manufacturing	Construction	Gas, electricity and water			
1963	100·0	100	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100	100	100
1964	105·6	104	107·7	100·3	107·9	111·8	103·3	105	103	104
1965	108·3	107	110·8	96·6	111·4	114·1	109·3	108	106	106
1966	109·7	107	111·9	91·1	112·7	115·2	113·8	109	107	108
1967	111·3	110	111·8	90·0	111·5	119·7	117·5	111	108	112
1968	115·0	112	117·0	85·3	117·8	123·0	123·1	114	112	114
Seasonally adjusted										
1966 1st quarter ...	109·9	107	112·5	92·9	114·0	112·6	112·0	109	107	108
2nd quarter	109·7	107	112·0	92·3	113·0	115·1	112·3	107	108	108
3rd quarter...	110·0	107	112·5	90·0	113·3	116·2	114·7	109	107	108
4th quarter...	109·3	107	110·5	89·2	110·5	116·9	116·2	111	107	108
1967 1st quarter ...	109·9	108	111·0	90·8	111·0	117·0	115·5	111	107	109
2nd quarter	111·0	110	111·3	90·9	110·8	118·4	118·8	112	108	111
3rd quarter...	111·3	111	111·3	89·1	110·8	121·6	115·4	110	108	113
4th quarter...	112·8	113	113·6	89·3	113·4	121·8	120·4	111	110	113
1968 1st quarter ...	114·4	113	115·2	87·6	115·3	120·5	126·6	113	113	114
2nd quarter	113·8	112	116·0	85·8	116·6	123·2	120·5	114	110	112
3rd quarter...	115·2	111	117·7	84·1	118·8	123·2	122·5	113	111	114
4th quarter...	116·4	110	119·2	83·7	120·5	125·1	122·9	115	112	115

(1) Estimates of the gross domestic product obtained from statistics of expenditure are given in Table 1.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Personal income, expenditure and saving

TABLE 4

£ million

	Personal income before tax						Transfers abroad (net) and taxes paid abroad	United Kingdom taxes on income (payments)	National insurance and health contributions	Total personal disposable income [5][6]	Consumers' expenditure	Balance (personal saving) [6]
	Total [1]	Wages and salaries	Forces' pay	Employers' contributions [2]	Current grants from public authorities [3]	Other personal income [4]						
1963...	25,624	16,370	419	1,371	2,237	5,227	23	2,510	1,303	21,788	20,195	1,593
1964...	27,685	17,735	450	1,477	2,371	5,652	31	2,801	1,444	23,409	21,577	1,832
1965...	30,091	19,085	467	1,666	2,732	6,141	40	3,344	1,685	25,022	22,956	2,066
1966...	32,041	20,350	523	1,832	2,975	6,361	57	3,714	1,804	26,466	24,319	2,147
1967...	33,380	20,920	524	1,973	3,359	6,604	70	4,104	1,907	27,299	25,345	1,954
1968...	35,918	22,310	542	2,194	3,840	7,032	86	4,620	2,171	29,041	27,045	1,996
Unadjusted												
1966 1st quarter ...	8,148	4,999	115	442	747	1,845	10	1,096	441	6,601	5,681	920
2nd quarter ...	7,982	5,116	134	450	738	1,544	15	948	441	6,578	6,164	414
3rd quarter ...	7,895	5,104	138	469	731	1,453	18	846	466	6,565	6,132	433
4th quarter ...	8,016	5,131	136	471	759	1,519	14	824	456	6,722	6,342	380
1967 1st quarter ...	8,092	5,071	128	481	837	1,575	9	1,102	467	6,514	5,867	647
2nd quarter ...	8,298	5,195	129	489	836	1,649	20	1,018	471	6,789	6,321	468
3rd quarter ...	8,428	5,227	134	492	823	1,752	19	1,020	469	6,920	6,427	493
4th quarter ...	8,562	5,427	133	511	863	1,628	22	964	500	7,076	6,730	346
1968 1st quarter ...	8,779	5,439	130	531	964	1,715	27	1,155	527	7,070	6,451	619
2nd quarter ...	8,937	5,553	132	541	945	1,766	20	1,185	534	7,198	6,649	549
3rd quarter ...	9,040	5,564	143	556	958	1,819	18	1,164	553	7,305	6,784	521
4th quarter ...	9,162	5,754	137	566	973	1,732	21	1,116	557	7,468	7,161	307
Seasonally adjusted												
1966 1st quarter ...	8,224	5,029	117	442	731	1,905	10	1,040	441	6,733	6,024	709
2nd quarter ...	7,919	5,111	134	450	731	1,493	15	887	441	6,576	6,089	487
3rd quarter ...	7,915	5,135	138	469	744	1,429	18	878	466	6,553	6,083	470
4th quarter ...	7,983	5,075	134	471	769	1,534	14	909	456	6,604	6,123	481
1967 1st quarter ...	8,142	5,097	130	481	819	1,615	9	996	467	6,670	6,202	468
2nd quarter ...	8,257	5,190	129	489	829	1,620	20	988	471	6,778	6,247	531
3rd quarter ...	8,453	5,265	134	492	836	1,726	19	1,064	469	6,901	6,380	521
4th quarter ...	8,528	5,368	131	511	875	1,643	22	1,056	500	6,950	6,516	434
1968 1st quarter ...	8,802	5,467	132	531	947	1,725	27	1,095	527	7,153	6,789	364
2nd quarter ...	8,909	5,544	132	541	940	1,752	20	1,128	534	7,227	6,543	684
3rd quarter ...	9,057	5,611	143	556	961	1,786	18	1,191	553	7,295	6,771	524
4th quarter ...	9,150	5,688	135	566	992	1,769	21	1,206	557	7,366	6,942	424

Source: Central Statistical Office

(1) Before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation.
(2) Employers' contributions to national insurance and health and pension funds, etc.
(3) National insurance benefits, family allowances, assistance grants, war pensions and service grants, etc.
(4) Income from rent and self-employment, before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation, dividend and net interest receipts and transfers to charities from companies.
(5) Equals total personal income before tax *less* taxes on income, national insurance and health contributions, etc. and transfers abroad.
(6) Before providing for depreciation, stock appreciation and additions to tax reserves.

Consumers' expenditure

TABLE 5 — £ million

	Total	Food (household expenditure)	Alcoholic drink		Tobacco	Housing	Fuel and light	Clothing		Durable goods				Other goods	Other Services
			Beer	Other				Footwear	Other	Total	Cars and motor cycles	Furniture and floor coverings	Radio and electrical goods, etc.		
At current prices															
1963... ...	20,195	4,727	694	481	1,286	2,147	1,010	319	1,526	1,703	733	473	497	2,515	3,787
1964... ...	21,577	4,932	761	556	1,343	2,319	1,000	332	1,606	1,883	843	525	515	2,769	4,076
1965... ...	22,956	5,105	837	578	1,428	2,546	1,087	348	1,711	1,892	799	565	528	3,050	4,374
1966... ...	24,319	5,365	887	625	1,504	2,777	1,161	356	1,757	1,894	798	573	523	3,290	4,703
1967... ...	25,345	5,527	936	654	1,512	2,973	1,191	360	1,779	2,011	888	565	558	3,476	4,926
1968... ...	27,045	5,711	957	733	1,578	3,208	1,312	375	1,882	2 206	999	598	609	3,844	5,239
1966 1st qtr.	5,681	1,292	182	101	362	663	364	70	366	512	259	129	124	729	1,040
2nd qtr.	6,164	1,344	225	146	384	706	287	94	428	555	290	145	120	806	1,189
3rd qtr.	6,132	1,337	250	150	385	703	213	85	413	430	166	139	125	848	1,318
4th qtr.	6,342	1,392	230	228	373	705	297	107	550	397	83	160	154	907	1,156
1967 1st qtr.	5,867	1,342	205	104	361	717	370	72	369	462	213	123	126	772	1,093
2nd qtr.	6,321	1,381	236	149	390	753	302	91	425	515	255	137	123	836	1,243
3rd qtr.	6,427	1,374	263	159	385	751	220	86	419	502	229	136	137	890	1,378
4th qtr.	6,730	1,430	232	242	376	752	299	111	566	532	191	169	172	978	1,212
1968 1st qtr.	6,451	1,395	207	131	375	766	425	74	392	658	350	146	162	866	1,162
2nd qtr.	6,649	1,411	241	154	403	814	321	94	455	506	233	145	128	924	1,326
3rd qtr.	6,784	1,409	262	168	405	813	253	89	442	506	224	138	144	983	1,454
4th qtr.	7,161	1,496	247	280	395	815	313	118	593	536	192	169	175	1,071	1,297
Revalued at 1963 prices															
1963... ...	20,195	4,727	694	481	1,286	2,147	1,010	319	1,526	1,703	733	473	497	2,515	3,787
1964... ...	20,896	4,802	726	528	1,263	2,182	973	330	1,580	1,865	853	508	504	2,689	3,958
1965... ...	21,260	4,803	728	504	1,217	2,255	1,035	339	1,647	1,840	808	524	508	2,823	4,069
1966... ...	21,681	4,890	743	522	1,243	2,316	1,068	333	1,653	1,821	807	517	497	2,938	4,154
1967... ...	22,067	4,934	762	535	1,241	2,390	1,089	331	1,651	1,896	874	498	524	3,037	4,201
1968... ...	22,564	4,963	768	571	1,235	2,475	1,144	338	1,721	1,985	935	505	545	3,149	4,215
Unadjusted															
1966 1st qtr.	5,170	1,201	156	87	301	566	350	67	348	498	260	119	119	658	938
2nd qtr.	5,533	1,216	193	126	319	592	271	89	405	538	291	132	115	724	1,060
3rd qtr.	5,415	1,211	207	123	317	582	185	78	387	411	168	124	119	753	1,161
4th qtr.	5,563	1,262	187	186	306	576	262	99	513	374	88	142	144	803	995
1967 1st qtr.	5,157	1,205	167	84	299	582	349	66	343	440	213	109	118	679	943
2nd qtr.	5,529	1,230	191	121	321	611	287	84	394	488	251	121	116	735	1,067
3rd qtr.	5,567	1,226	215	130	315	601	192	79	389	474	225	120	129	774	1,172
4th qtr.	5,814	1,273	189	200	306	596	261	102	525	494	185	148	161	849	1,019
1968 1st qtr.	5,538	1,229	169	107	305	602	388	67	361	611	335	126	150	741	958
2nd qtr.	5,566	1,237	190	119	317	633	290	85	417	457	221	122	114	750	1,071
3rd qtr.	5,590	1,219	211	129	314	622	208	80	405	448	205	116	127	799	1,155
4th qtr.	5,870	1,278	198	216	299	618	258	106	538	469	174	141	154	859	1,031
Seasonally adjusted															
1966 1st qtr.	5,452	1,218	181	134	315	574	270	88	422	495	236	134	125	722	1,033
2nd qtr.	5,468	1,217	189	134	314	577	266	83	412	492	234	132	126	742	1,042
3rd qtr.	5,379	1,228	187	128	306	580	258	81	410	429	178	128	123	735	1,037
4th qtr.	5,382	1,227	186	126	308	585	274	81	409	405	159	123	123	739	1,042
1967 1st qtr.	5,425	1,221	193	129	312	590	268	83	408	438	190	123	125	745	1,038
2nd qtr.	5,463	1,230	187	131	314	595	279	81	410	432	182	122	128	752	1,052
3rd qtr.	5,543	1,244	194	137	307	599	267	82	414	488	230	124	134	759	1,052
4th qtr.	5,636	1,239	188	138	308	606	275	85	419	538	272	129	137	781	1,059
1968 1st qtr.	5,799	1,246	195	154	318	611	298	87	434	605	305	142	158	808	1,043
2nd qtr.	5,475	1,237	186	129	309	616	281	81	427	391	144	122	125	766	1,052
3rd qtr.	5,595	1,236	190	137	305	620	289	83	431	471	220	119	132	782	1,051
4th qtr.	5,695	1,244	197	151	303	628	276	87	429	518	266	122	130	793	1,069

Source: Central Statistical Office

Value of physical increase in stocks and work in progress

TABLE 6

£ million

	All industries	Manufacturing										Distributive trades		Other industries
		Total	Analysis by industry group						Analysis by type of asset					
			Food, drink and tobacco	Chemicals and allied industries	Metal manufacture	Engineering, shipbuilding and vehicles	Textiles, leather and clothing	Other manufacturing industries	Materials and fuel	Work in progress	Finished goods	Retail	Wholesale	
At current prices														
Value of stocks and work in progress at end-December														
1962	10,733	6,029	809	502	478	2,977	664	599	2,208	2,222	1,599	1,099	950	2,655
1963	228	123	44	− 11	1	75	2	12	− 2	100	21	57	31	17
1964	677	421	6	41	31	247	63	33	152	182	87	52	93	111
1965	436	277	2	25	28	181	− 3	44	62	104	111	47	46	66
1966	259	157	− 9	24	− 14	96	28	32	− 23	36	144	5	17	80
1967	184	− 36	21	1	− 32	16	− 35	− 7	− 46	41	− 31	12	10	198
1968	241	− 34	—	49	37	−157	10	27	− 18	− 34	18	106	80	89
1966 1st quarter	79	48	10	− 2	− 11	9	21	21	− 21	19	50	74	− 7	− 36
2nd quarter	121	29	− 3	15	− 21	12	19	7	− 46	30	45	17	− 7	82
3rd quarter	149	101	− 6	7	44	58	− 10	8	86	16	− 1	−42	64	26
4th quarter	− 90	− 21	− 10	4	− 26	17	− 2	− 4	− 42	− 29	50	−44	−33	8
1967 1st quarter	54	− 5	11	− 8	− 10	− 16	7	11	− 29	19	5	63	− 6	2
2nd quarter	126	36	− 5	− 8	− 5	44	6	4	− 41	20	57	8	1	81
3rd quarter	33	− 4	31	23	2	− 25	− 21	− 14	43	19	− 66	−44	31	50
4th quarter	− 29	− 63	− 16	− 6	− 19	13	− 27	− 8	− 19	− 17	− 27	−15	−16	65
1968 1st quarter	−120	−155	17	− 24	− 10	−138	4	− 4	− 35	− 39	− 81	104	3	− 72
2nd quarter	155	63	− 10	35	16	− 21	23	20	− 26	14	75	− 8	24	76
3rd quarter	144	43	1	23	28	3	− 15	3	45	24	− 26	−17	58	60
4th quarter	62	15	− 8	15	3	− 1	− 2	8	− 2	− 33	50	27	− 5	25
Revalued at 1963 prices														
Value of stocks and work in progress at end-December														
1962	10,805	6,096	833	501	480	2,998	682	602	2,242	2,246	1,608	1,095	953	2,661
1963	228	123	44	− 11	1	75	2	12	2	100	21	57	31	17
1964	665	411	6	41	31	240	61	32	147	177	87	50	90	114
1965	418	262	1	25	26	171	− 2	41	56	98	108	45	49	62
1966	247	147	− 5	26	− 15	85	26	30	− 20	33	134	6	19	75
1967	155	− 39	20	2	− 27	10	− 33	− 11	− 38	33	− 34	11	11	172
1968	191	− 21	− 1	47	30	−129	9	23	− 12	− 24	15	95	71	46
Seasonally adjusted														
1966 1st quarter	91	72	5	11	− 4	42	5	13	4	17	51	20	− 5	4
2nd quarter	76	4	2	5	− 18	4	6	5	− 20	14	10	28	− 4	48
3rd quarter	71	66	− 13	4	18	38	10	9	24	1	41	−17	21	1
4th quarter	9	5	1	6	− 11	1	5	3	− 28	1	32	−25	7	22
1967 1st quarter	84	26	1	5	− 4	25	− 6	5	− 8	15	19	15	− 2	45
2nd quarter	43	− 10	2	− 19	− 7	26	− 7	− 5	− 19	4	5	15	1	37
3rd quarter	− 40	− 25	19	19	− 12	− 36	− 4	− 11	− 4	3	− 24	−21	−10	16
4th quarter	68	− 30	− 2	− 3	− 4	− 5	− 16	—	− 7	11	− 34	2	22	74
1968 1st quarter	− 68	−100	9	− 11	− 2	− 80	− 7	− 9	− 9	− 32	− 59	49	6	− 23
2nd quarter	65	24	− 3	25	9	− 27	8	12	− 1	—	25	1	22	18
3rd quarter	42	7	− 13	14	7	− 7	1	5	−13	7	13	5	10	20
4th quarter	152	48	6	19	16	− 15	7	15	11	1	36	40	33	31

Sources: Central Statistical Office
Board of Trade

Gross domestic fixed capital formation

Analysis by industry group

TABLE 7

£ million

	Total	Mining and quarrying	Manufacturing	Gas, electricity and water	Transport and communication	Distributive trades		Other industries(1)	Dwellings	Public services	Transfer costs of land and buildings
						Wholesale	Retail				
At current prices											
1963	4,917	90	1,055	648	433	115	212	745	944	618	57
1964	5,860	105	1,216	758	517	136	247	861	1,210	751	59
1965	6,309	109	1,401	824	549	140	235	924	1,271	798	58
1966	6,703	118	1,504	982	568	130	210	937	1,327	869	58
1967	7,247	128	1,465	1,060	686	152	215	982	1,466	1,031	62
1968	7,734	113	1,526	903	880	162	225	1,082	1,591	1,186	66
1966 1st quarter	1,666	35	357	264	140	30	53	238	319	216	14
2nd quarter	1,576	25	357	210	132	33	49	234	322	199	15
3rd quarter	1,680	28	378	254	141	32	52	224	339	217	15
4th quarter	1,781	30	412	254	155	35	56	241	347	237	14
1967 1st quarter	1,808	42	354	297	176	33	52	245	348	247	14
2nd quarter	1,765	26	370	239	172	38	50	252	361	240	17
3rd quarter	1,794	30	354	260	157	38	53	238	382	267	15
4th quarter	1,880	30	387	264	181	43	60	247	375	277	16
1968 1st quarter	1,957	37	342	277	206	40	58	270	396	315	16
2nd quarter	1,814	24	355	202	195	38	53	264	396	271	16
3rd quarter	1,893	26	379	216	209	38	54	263	401	290	17
4th quarter	2,070	26	450	208	270	46	60	285	398	310	17
Revalued at 1963 prices											
1963	4,917	90	1,055	648	433	115	212	745	944	618	57
1964	5,722	103	1,190	739	503	134	243	846	1,175	730	59
1965	5,954	104	1,309	776	514	133	226	882	1,198	754	58
1966	6,099	110	1,351	878	513	120	198	872	1,206	793	58
1967	6,512	118	1,310	939	615	139	200	900	1,306	924	61
1968	6,736	100	1,316	771	759	143	202	961	1,383	1,036	65
Unadjusted											
1966 1st quarter	1,538	33	326	243	128	28	51	224	292	199	14
2nd quarter	1,441	23	323	190	121	31	46	218	293	181	15
3rd quarter	1,520	26	337	224	128	29	49	207	307	198	15
4th quarter	1,600	28	365	221	136	32	52	223	314	215	14
1967 1st quarter	1,636	39	314	263	158	31	50	226	316	225	14
2nd quarter	1,590	24	333	211	156	35	46	231	322	215	17
3rd quarter	1,614	27	318	231	142	34	49	219	340	239	15
4th quarter	1,672	28	345	234	159	39	55	224	328	245	15
1968 1st quarter	1,729	33	302	242	180	37	53	243	346	278	15
2nd quarter	1,578	21	306	171	167	33	48	235	344	237	16
3rd quarter	1,638	23	324	182	179	33	47	232	348	253	17
4th quarter	1,791	23	384	176	233	40	54	251	345	268	17
Seasonally adjusted											
1966 1st quarter	1,492	27	340	209	123	30	51	220	291	187	14
2nd quarter	1,509	27	333	219	125	31	49	216	299	195	15
3rd quarter	1,551	27	341	233	134	30	49	218	304	200	15
4th quarter	1,547	29	337	217	131	29	49	218	312	211	14
1967 1st quarter	1,584	31	327	231	152	32	49	223	314	211	14
2nd quarter	1,659	28	344	240	161	35	49	229	327	229	17
3rd quarter	1,645	30	321	238	149	36	50	228	337	241	15
4th quarter	1,624	29	318	230	153	36	52	220	328	243	15
1968 1st quarter	1,683	27	316	216	174	38	53	240	342	261	16
2nd quarter	1,646	25	317	194	172	34	51	231	354	252	16
3rd quarter	1,671	24	329	187	190	34	48	241	346	255	17
4th quarter	1,736	24	354	174	223	37	50	249	341	268	16

(1) Covers agriculture, forestery and fishing, construction, road haulage contracting and other service industries.

Sources: Central Statistical Office
Board of Trade

Gross domestic fixed capital formation

TABLE 7 (*continued*)

Analysis by sector and by type of asset

£ million

	Total	Private sector (1)	Public sector (1)		Vehicles, ships and aircraft	Plant and machinery	Dwellings		Other new buildings and works (2)
			Public authorities	Public corporations			Private	Public	
At current prices									
1963	4,917	2,785	1,108	1,024	519	1,884	564	380	1,570
1964	5,860	3,280	1,393	1,187	634	2,163	696	514	1,853
1965	6,309	3,533	1,483	1,293	631	2,420	713	558	1,987
1966	6,703	3,570	1,678	1,455	618	2,689	673	654	2,069
1967	7,247	3,608	1,977	1,662	679	2,823	713	753	2,279
1968	7,734	3,915	2,172	1,647	850	2,868	755	836	2,425
1966 1st quarter ...	1,666	877	406	383	153	687	165	154	507
2nd quarter ...	1,576	869	394	313	156	620	174	148	478
3rd quarter ...	1,680	885	418	377	149	671	169	170	521
4th quarter ...	1,781	939	460	382	160	711	165	182	563
1967 1st quarter ...	1,808	861	490	457	162	740	162	186	558
2nd quarter ...	1,765	930	469	366	182	682	180	181	540
3rd quarter ...	1,794	887	498	409	155	679	189	193	578
4th quarter ...	1,880	930	520	430	180	722	182	193	603
1968 1st quarter ...	1,957	903	578	476	192	759	184	212	610
2nd quarter ...	1,814	932	510	372	194	652	198	198	572
3rd quarter. ...	1,893	977	526	390	208	679	188	213	605
4th quarter ...	2,070	1,103	558	409	256	778	185	213	638
Revalued at 1963 prices									
1963	4,917	2,785	1,108	1,024	519	1,884	564	380	1,570
1964	5,722	3,246	1,336	1,140	628	2,118	676	499	1,801
1965	5,954	3,350	1,371	1,233	615	2,264	672	526	1,877
1966	6,099	3,309	1,486	1,304	590	2,419	612	594	1,884
1967	6,512	3,338	1,700	1,474	643	2,526	635	671	2,037
1968	6,736	3,506	1,827	1,403	770	2,468	656	727	2,115
Unadjusted									
1966 1st quarter ...	1,538	821	365	352	147	633	151	141	466
2nd quarter ...	1,441	810	347	284	150	564	159	134	434
3rd quarter ...	1,520	818	369	333	142	597	153	154	474
4th quarter ...	1,600	860	405	335	151	625	149	165	510
1967 1st quarter ...	1,636	801	429	406	154	658	148	168	508
2nd quarter ...	1,590	864	401	325	173	613	160	162	482
3rd quarter ...	1,614	819	430	365	147	611	168	172	516
4th quarter ...	1,672	854	440	378	169	644	159	169	531
1968 1st quarter ...	1,729	827	490	412	179	669	161	185	535
2nd quarter ...	1,578	837	425	316	176	560	172	172	498
3rd quarter ...	1,638	863	446	329	186	577	163	185	527
4th quarter ...	1,791	979	466	346	229	662	160	185	555
Seasonally adjusted									
1966 1st quarter ...	1,492	833	349	310	146	595	153	138	460
2nd quarter ...	1,509	827	361	321	148	601	157	142	461
3rd quarter ...	1,551	831	377	343	151	621	151	153	475
4th quarter ...	1,547	818	399	330	145	602	151	161	488
1967 1st quarter ...	1,584	817	407	360	153	618	150	164	499
2nd quarter ...	1,659	870	426	363	171	648	156	171	513
3rd quarter ...	1,645	832	437	376	156	636	166	171	516
4th quarter ...	1,624	819	430	375	163	624	163	165	509
1968 1st quarter ...	1,683	849	461	373	179	636	161	181	526
2nd quarter ...	1,646	847	451	348	174	589	172	182	529
3rd quarter ...	1,671	878	455	338	197	601	162	184	527
4th quarter ...	1,736	932	460	344	220	642	161	180	533

(1) Includes purchases *less* sales of land and existing buildings.
(2) Includes transfer costs of land and buildings.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Fixed capital expenditure in manufacturing industry

TABLE 8

£ million

	Analysis by industry group									Total manufacturing industry	Analysis by type of asset		
	Food, drink and tobacco	Mineral oil refining	Chemicals, paint and printing ink	Metal manufacture	Engineering, shipbuilding and metal goods	Vehicles	Textiles, leather and clothing	Paper, printing and publishing	Other manufacturing industries		New building work	Vehicles	Plant and machinery
At current prices													
1963	145·0	26·8	135·9	136·1	239·4	98·0	86·5	79·7	107·8	1,055·2	263·6	69·5	722·1
1964	165·8	28·3	174·3	117·2	293·6	88·0	119·7	92·7	136·1	1,215·7	300·5	85·1	830·0
1965	178·1	29·1	227·9	120·7	325·5	110·2	142·2	105·7	162·1	1,401·4	337·8	91·2	972·4
1966	178·9	57·2	261·6	129·4	340·3	126·6	143·1	96·1	170·9	1,504·0	338·9	89·7	1,075·4
1967	206·5	88·4	218·5	132·9	332·9	128·0	117·6	93·8	146·6	1,465·1	300·3	91·6	1,073·2
1968	226·6	98·4	232·9	119·3	342·5	111·4	146·6	88·0	160·0	1,525·7	315·3	104·1	1,106·3
1966 1st quarter ...	43·8	9·5	65·6	28·3	78·0	32·3	35·2	22·2	42·0	356·9	76·6	23·7	256·6
2nd quarter ...	43·3	13·1	60·1	30·0	82·5	31·0	36·9	22·1	38·2	357·2	77·9	25·2	254·1
3rd quarter ...	45·0	16·6	62·9	37·9	82·5	29·7	35·0	22·7	45·7	378·0	85·3	21·0	271·7
4th quarter ...	46·9	17·9	73·0	33·2	97·5	33·8	35·7	29·0	45·0	412·0	99·0	19·6	293·4
1967 1st quarter ...	50·7	14·9	52·7	33·5	79·3	30·5	32·6	23·1	36·4	353·7	75·1	21·3	257·3
2nd quarter ...	50·6	22·4	60·8	34·7	84·6	33·2	28·2	23·4	32·5	370·4	75·3	24·1	271·0
3rd quarter ...	51·9	23·9	45·7	38·0	78·0	30·0	27·0	23·5	36·4	354·4	70·0	22·9	261·5
4th quarter ...	53·3	27·1	59·4	26·8	90·9	34·4	29·8	23·8	41·3	386·8	79·9	23·3	283·6
1968 1st quarter ...	50·2	18·5	49·8	32·3	78·6	25·1	33·2	21·2	32·6	341·5	64·3	26·8	250.4
2nd quarter ...	57·0	25·3	55·6	28·1	77·7	26·6	28·6	19·6	36·0	354·5	74·4	26·2	253·9
3rd quarter ...	59·3	25·2	53·1	33·1	83·9	31·7	34·6	18·5	40·0	379·4	84·7	25·0	269·7
4th quarter ...	60·1	29·4	74·4	25·8	102·3	28·0	50·2	28·7	51·4	450·3	91·9	26·1	332·3
Revalued at 1963 prices													
1963	145·0	26·8	135·9	136·1	239·4	98·0	86·5	79·7	107·8	1,055·2	263·6	69·5	722·1
1964	162·2	28·1	170·8	114·4	287·2	86·1	117·1	90·8	133·0	1,189·7	291·4	85·1	813·2
1965	166·7	27·0	213·0	112·8	301·9	103·7	132·8	98·8	151·9	1,308·6	319·2	88·1	901·3
1966	161·6	50·2	231·1	116·0	307·7	115·2	129·1	86.2	153·8	1,350·9	307·8	84·8	958·3
1967	186·3	77·2	192·0	116·4	300·6	116·4	105·8	83·7	131·6	1,310·0	267·7	87·8	954·5
1968	195·6	83·0	197·2	103·1	298·5	97·6	127·0	76·3	137·9	1,316·2	273·8	93·2	949·2
Seasonally adjusted													
1966 1st quarter ...	40·9	10·0	61·2	28·7	74·9	31·0	31·6	20·6	40·7	339·6	76·5	21·6	241·5
2nd quarter ...	39·6	11·6	55·0	27·6	77·6	28·8	34·8	20·7	37·6	333·3	74·7	22·5	236·1
3rd quarter ...	40·0	14·6	57·9	29·2	78·3	27·8	31·9	21·5	40·2	341·4	77·7	21·1	242·6
4th quarter ...	41·1	14·0	57·0	30·5	76·9	27·6	30·8	23·4	35·3	336·6	78·9	19·6	238·1
1967 1st quarter ...	46·4	15·2	47·4	30·3	74·6	28·6	28·6	21·0	34·4	326·5	73·9	19·5	233·1
2nd quarter ...	47·0	19·6	55·1	31·9	79·1	31·0	26·6	21·9	32·3	344·5	70·7	22·1	251·7
3rd quarter ...	46·1	20·8	42·8	29·5	74·5	28·4	24·8	21·6	32·1	320·6	62·1	23·0	235·5
4th quarter ...	46·8	21·6	46·7	24·7	72·4	28·4	25·8	19·2	32·8	318·4	61·0	23·2	234·2
1968 1st quarter ...	45·0	18·9	45·0	31·5	73·6	23·4	28·8	19·4	30·7	316·3	62·0	24·1	230·2
2nd quarter ...	49·7	20·9	48·5	24·5	70·2	24·1	26·4	17·8	34·7	316·8	68·2	22·0	226·6
3rd quarter ...	50·3	20·7	47·6	24·4	76·4	28·9	30·6	17·0	33·4	329·3	73·8	23·0	232·5
4th quarter ...	50·6	22·5	56·1	22·7	78·3	21·2	41·2	22·1	39·1	353·8	69·8	24·1	259·9

Source: Board of Trade

Fixed capital expenditure in the distributive and service industries

TABLE 9

£ million

	Analysis by industry group				Total distributive and service industries	Analysis by type of asset		
	Wholesale distribution	Retail distribution	Shipping	Other industries(1)		New building work	Vehicles	Plant and machinery
t current prices								
963	115	212	84	609	1,020	387	321	312
964	136	247	123	724	1,230	445	409	377
965	140	235	100	781	1,256	462	390	403
966	130	210	99	786	1,235	448	404	383
967	152	215	140	829	1,336	470	451	416
968	162	225	231	905	1,523	463	564	496
966 1st quarter	30	53	21	197	303	110	97	96
2nd quarter	33	49	22	197	304	109	103	92
3rd quarter	32	52	26	186	298	110	97	91
4th quarter	35	56	30	206	330	119	107	104
967 1st quarter	33	53	29	207	322	112	104	106
2nd quarter	38	50	44	213	345	116	128	101
3rd quarter	38	53	25	200	316	113	100	103
4th quarter	43	60	42	209	353	129	119	106
968 1st quarter	40	58	41	223	363	114	124	125
2nd quarter	38	53	39	223	353	116	123	114
3rd quarter	38	54	56	217	365	113	135	117
4th quarter	46	60	95	241	442	120	182	140
evalued at 1963 prices								
963	115	212	84	609	1,020	387	321	312
964	134	243	124	711	1,212	432	408	372
965	133	226	99	748	1,206	436	384	386
966	120	198	95	743	1,156	407	389	360
967	139	200	133	764	1,236	418	430	388
968	142	202	213	808	1,365	407	515	443
easonally adjusted								
966 1st quarter	30	51	22	185	288	104	95	89
2nd quarter	31	49	23	187	290	102	97	91
3rd quarter	30	49	26	186	291	101	100	90
4th quarter	29	49	24	185	287	100	97	90
967 1st quarter	32	49	31	190	302	104	102	96
2nd quarter	35	49	43	196	323	106	119	98
3rd quarter	36	50	26	195	307	104	102	101
4th quarter	36	52	33	183	304	104	107	93
968 1st quarter	38	53	42	200	333	102	119	112
2nd quarter	33	51	37	198	319	108	109	102
3rd quarter	34	48	56	203	341	100	132	109
4th quarter	37	50	78	207	372	97	155	120

(1) Construction, road passenger transport, insurance, banking, finance, professional, scientific and miscellaneous services.

Source: Board of Trade

II. POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS

De facto or home population

TABLE 10

Thousands

	United Kingdom			England and Wales			Scotland			Northern Ireland		
	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females
Census figures												
1931...	46,038	22,060	23,979	39,952	19,133	20,819	4,843	2,326	2,517	1,243(1)	01(1)	642(1)
1951...	50,225	24,118	26,107	43,758	21,016	22,742	5,096	2,434	2,662	1,371	668	703
1961...	52,709	25,481	27,228	46,105	22,304	23,801	5,179	2,483	2,697	1,425	694	731
1966...	53,789	26,044	27,745	47,136	22,841	24,295	5,168	2,479	2,689	1,485	724	761
Mid-year estimates												
1951...	50,290	24,152	26,139	43,815	21,044	22,771	5,102	2,439	2,664	1,373	669	704
1952...	50,431	24,217	26,214	43,955	21,110	22,845	5,101	2,437	2,664	1,375	670	705
1953...	50,592	24,317	26,276	44,109	21,206	22,903	5,099	2,436	2,664	1,384	675	709
1954...	50,765	24,401	26,364	44,274	21,288	22,986	5,104	2,436	2,667	1,387	676	711
1955...	50,947	24,510	26,436	44,441	21,389	23,052	5,112	2,442	2,669	1,394	679	715
1956...	51,184	24,645	26,539	44,667	21,517	23,150	5,120	2,447	2,673	1,397	681	716
1957...	51,430	24,779	26,651	44,907	21,648	23,259	5,125	2,450	2,675	1,398	681	717
1958...	51,652	24,889	26,764	45,109	21,744	23,365	5,141	2,461	2,680	1,402	684	719
1959...	51,956	25,044	26,912	45,386	21,885	23,501	5,162	2,473	2,689	1,408	686	722
1960...	52,372	25,272	27,100	45,775	22,097	23,678	5,177	2,483	2,694	1,420	692	728
1961...	52,816	25,534	27,282	46,205	22,353	23,852	5,184	2,485	2,699	1,427	696	732
1962...	53,341	25,854	27,487	46,709	22,660	24,049	5,197	2,495	2,702	1,435	700	736
1963...	53,678	26,038	27,640	47,028	22,834	24,194	5,205	2,499	2,705	1,446	705	741
1964...	54,066	26,254	27,811	47,401	23,044	24,358	5,206	2,500	2,707	1,458	711	747
1965...	54,435	26,440	27,995	47,763	23,227	24,536	5,204	2,497	2,707	1,469	716	753
1966...	54,654	26,505	28,149	47,985	23,295	24,690	5,191	2,490	2,701	1,478	720	758
1967...	54,979	26,681	28,298	48,301	23,465	24,836	5,187	2,489	2,698	1,491	727	764
1968...	55,283	26,852	28,431	48,593	23,630	24,963	5,188	2,489	2,698	1,502	733	769

(1) Estimated.

Sources: Registrars General

Age distribution of estimated population at 30 June 1968

TABLE 11

Thousands

	Total population			*De facto* or home population									
	United Kingdom			United Kingdom			England and Wales				Scotland		Northern Irelan
							Total		Wales				
	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Female
All ages ...	55,391	26,958	28,433	55,282·5	26,851·9	28,430·6	23,629·9	24,963·1	1,325·1	1,394·9	2,489·4	2,698·1	732·6	769·4
Years of age:														
0–14 ...	13,173	6,753	6,419	13,173·0	6,753·5	6,419·5	5,827·4	5,540·4	322·1	308·3	695·0	661·2	231·1	217·9
15–64 ...	35,314	17,578	17,736	35,205·3	17,472·4	17,732·9	15,473·5	15,615·8	860·7	869·6	1,563·0	1,659·3	435·9	457·8
65 and over	6,904	2,626	4,278	6,904·1	2,625·9	4,278·2	2,329·0	3,806·9	142·3	217·0	231·3	377·6	65·6	93·7
Under 5 ...	4,788	2,456	2,332	4,788·4	2,455·9	2,332·5	2,130·9	2,024·8	113·6	107·9	241·3	229·3	83·7	78·4
5–9 ...	4,481	2,298	2,183	4,481·3	2,297·8	2,183·5	1,980·5	1,882·5	112·3	107·9	239·4	227·5	77·9	73·5
10–14 ...	3,903	2,000	1,904	3,903·4	1,999·8	1,903·6	1,716·0	1,633·1	96·2	92·5	214·3	204·5	69·5	66·0
15–19 ...	3,951	2,012	1,939	3,936·2	1,998·1	1,938·1	1,734·8	1,681·8	100·6	97·1	199·4	194·4	63·9	61·9
20–24 ...	4,234	2,144	2,090	4,191·0	2,102·7	2,088·3	1,857·2	1,838·9	99·6	96·5	192·2	194·2	53·3	55·2
25–29 ...	3,463	1,758	1,705	3,442·0	1,737·0	1,705·0	1,538·7	1,500·8	80·8	78·9	154·2	158·5	44·1	45·7
30–34 ...	3,318	1,699	1,619	3,306·5	1,688·1	1,618·4	1,504·1	1,426·1	81·2	75·7	142·3	149·7	41·7	42·6
35–39 ...	3,347	1,706	1,641	3,337·0	1,696·4	1,640·6	1,508·8	1,443·3	81·8	78·4	146·9	154·2	40·7	43·1
40–44 ...	3,465	1,739	1,726	3,460·5	1,734·2	1,726·3	1,540·8	1,522·1	88·6	87·7	151·9	160·0	41·5	44·2
45–49 ...	3,688	1,828	1,860	3,685·7	1,825·6	1,860·1	1,626·4	1,644·9	93·3	94·7	156·3	170·3	42·9	44·9
50–54 ...	3,275	1,590	1,686	3,274·1	1,588·5	1,685·6	1,411·6	1,488·8	78·9	82·8	138·8	155·7	38·1	41·1
55–59 ...	3,441	1,647	1,794	3,440·1	1,646·2	1,793·9	1,458·3	1,585·3	80·7	90·1	150·1	167·3	37·8	41·3
60–64 ...	3,133	1,456	1,677	3,132·1	1,455·5	1,676·6	1,292·8	1,483·8	75·2	87·7	130·8	155·0	31·9	37·8
65–69 ...	2,566	1,117	1,449	2,566·1	1,117·0	1,449·1	991·0	1,280·5	62·5	77·3	100·2	135·5	25·8	33·3
70–74 ...	1,876	712	1,164	1,875·9	711·6	1,164·3	631·1	1,033·4	39·0	60·2	62·0	104·6	18·5	26·3
75–79 ...	1,293	450	844	1,293·3	449·5	843·8	399·2	753·6	23·1	40·2	38·7	72·6	11·6	17·4
80–84 ...	750	233	517	750·1	233·2	516·9	206·6	464·3	11·9	24·7	20·4	42·2	6·2	10·4
85 and over	419	115	304	418·6	114·6	304·0	101·1	275·1	5·8	14·6	10·0	22·6	3·5	6·3

Sources: Registrars General

Births and marriages registered

TABLE 12

Thousands

	Live births					Marriages				
	United Kingdom	England and Wales		Scotland	Northern Ireland	United Kingdom	England and Wales		Scotland	Northern Ireland
		Total	Wales				Total	Wales		
1935–38 average	722·7	609·0	38·0	88·3	25·5	403·3	356·3	20·5	38·2	8·8
1963	992·3	856·2	47·0	102·7	33·4	401·3	351·3	19·4	39·7	10·2
1964	1,012·9	874·2	47·5	104·4	34·3	410·2	359·3	19·9	40·2	10·6
1965	1,000·0	865·4	46·5	100·7	33·9	422·1	371·1	19·9	40·5	10·5
1966	978·7	849·0	44·9	96·5	33·2	437·0	384·5	20·7	41·9	10·7
1967	960·2	830·6	43·5	96·2	33·4	438·3	386·1	20·7	42·1	10·9
1968	948·5	820·5	44·2	94·8	33·2				44·0	11·2
1966 1st quarter	251·7	219·4	11·5	24·1	8·2	114·7	101·9	5·3	10·3	2·5
2nd quarter	246·6	213·7	11·1	24·2	8·7	84·6	74·1	3·9	8·3	2·2
3rd quarter	251·0	217·7	11·6	24·7	8·6	131·3	115·0	6·1	12·4	3·9
4th quarter	229·4	198·2	10·7	23·5	7·7	106·4	93·5	5·3	10·8	2·1
1967 1st quarter	253·1	219·5	11·5	25·3	8·3	117·2	104·3	5·6	10·6	2·6
2nd quarter	248·2	214·7	11·1	24·5	9·0	80·4	70·1	3·5	8·3	2·2
3rd quarter	237·4	205·7	10·8	23·2	8·4	143·1	127·0	6·7	12·2	4·1
4th quarter	221·6	190·7	10·1	23·2	7·7	97·5	84·6	4·9	11·0	2·0
1968 1st quarter	248·8	215·7	11·6	24·5	8·6	131·6	118·7	6·4	10·3	2·6
2nd quarter	240·0	207·7	10·9	23·9	8·4	77·3	66·4	3·5	8·7	2·2
3rd quarter	239·6	207·5	11·2	23·6	8·5	145·9	128·3	7·0	13·5	4·1
4th quarter	220·0	189·6	10·5	22·7	7·7				11·5	2·3

Sources: Registrars General

Deaths registered(1)

TABLE 13

Thousands

	Total					Infants under one year				
	United Kingdom	England and Wales		Scotland	Northern Ireland	United Kingdom	England and Wales		Scotland	Northern Ireland
		Total	Wales				Total	Wales		
1935–38 average	574·9	490·4	32·5	66·0	18·5	43·18	34·35	2·32	6·82	2·01
1963	654·4	572·9	34·8	65·5	15·9	21·57	18·04	1·16	2·62	0·90
1964	611·0	534·7	32·7	61·0	15·4	20·87	17·44	1·15	2·51	0·91
1965	628·0	549·4	33·1	62·9	15·6	19·58	16·40	0·94	2·33	0·85
1966	643·6	563·6	34·6	63·7	16·4	19·23	16·15	0·91	2·24	0·85
1967	616·6	542·5	33·1	59·5	14·6	18·08	15·27	0·81	2·02	0·78
1968	655·8	576·6	34·8	63·3	15·9	17·77	15·00	0·83	1·97	0·80
1966 1st quarter	198·6	173·4	10·3	19·5	5·7	5·21	4·38	0·24	0·59	0·24
2nd quarter	150·2	131·7	8·3	14·8	3·7	4·64	3·85	0·24	0·57	0·22
3rd quarter	134·8	118·0	7·5	13·7	3·2	4·44	3·75	0·21	0·50	0·19
4th quarter	160·0	140·5	8·6	15·7	3·8	4·94	4·16	0·22	0·58	0·20
1967 1st quarter	165·1	145·3	8·7	15·8	4·0	4·78	4·05	0·23	0·53	0·20
2nd quarter	148·6	130·2	8·1	14·7	3·7	4·52	3·78	0·19	0·52	0·23
3rd quarter	135·2	118·6	7·4	13·4	3·2	4·09	3·48	0·18	0·44	0·17
4th quarter	167·8	148·5	8·9	15·6	3·7	4·68	3·96	0·22	0·54	0·18
1968 1st quarter	205·5	181·4	10·8	19·3	4·8	4·97	4·26	0·27	0·51	0·20
2nd quarter	149·9	131·3	8·3	14·8	3·8	4·33	3·64	0·20	0·49	0·20
3rd quarter	138·1	121·1	7·3	13·5	3·5	4·00	3·36	0·20	0·44	0·20
4th quarter	162·4	142·8	8·4	15·8	3·8	4·43	3·70	0·18	0·53	0·20

(1) Excluding stillbirths.

Sources: Registrars General

Estimated future total population of the United Kingdom

Table 13A: The projection has been prepared on the basis of the following assumptions:

Mortality: Death rates at the outset are based on recent experience. At ages under 40 for males and under 50 for females death rates are assumed to decline over the period of the projection until, after forty years, they are one-half or less of present rates. Above these ages the assumed rates of decline become progressively smaller as the age advances until they vanish at ages over 90. At almost all ages the assumed rates of decline are smaller for males than for females.

Births: The estimates assume 955,000 live births in the year mid–1968 to mid–1969 and a gradual increase thereafter to 983,000 births in 1970, to 1,046,000 in 1980, to 1,175,000 in 1990 and to 1,251,000 in 2000. The ratio of male to female births has been taken as 1·06 for Great Britain and 1·07 for Northern Ireland.

Migration: A net outward migration has been assumed of 20,000 a year for all future years.

The births now assumed are lower than those assumed in the corresponding Table 11A in the April 1968 *Monthly Digest*. In 1968, for the fourth successive year, births were fewer than in the previous year. There were signs of a recovery towards the end of the year, but it is too early to be at all certain that the decline has come to an end. There is, however, no evidence as yet of a fall in average completed family size for a given age at marriage, and it was decided to assume that there would be no change in these family sizes for marriages in 1965 and later years.

Last year's projection allowed for a fairly large net outward migration in the early years, falling to 20,000 a year after mid–1976. On this occasion, it has been assumed that there will be a net outward balance of 20,000 a year throughout. Despite this, the effect of migration is to add to the numbers of births assumed, because allowance has been made for the younger average age of immigrants as compared with emigrants and because the fertility of immigrants is believed to be higher.

Estimated future total population of the United Kingdom

TABLE 13A — At mid-year — Thousands

	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1980	1990	2000
otal	55,391	55,673	55,970	56,279	56,598	56,926	57,257	57,587	59,259	63,165	68,190
Age groups											
0–4 ...	4,788	4,750	4,725	4,735	4,762	4,828	4,895	4,946	5,082	5,630	6,111
5–9 ...	4,481	4,593	4,694	4,740	4,751	4,720	4,682	4,658	4,883	5,222	5,856
10–14 ...	3,903	3,977	4,072	4,190	4,315	4,426	4,538	4,639	4,602	4,962	5,516
15–19 ...	3,951	3,887	3,849	3,854	3,898	3,959	4,031	4,125	4,693	4,882	5,223
20–24 ...	4,234	4,311	4,352	4,348	4,157	4,026	3,963	3,924	4,201	4,733	5,096
25–29 ...	3,463	3,546	3,639	3,768	4,046	4,211	4,289	4,329	3,906	4,749	4,944
30–34 ...	3,318	3,352	3,368	3,352	3,363	3,424	3,508	3,599	4,289	4,148	4,682
35–39 ...	3,347	3,308	3,281	3,258	3,251	3,272	3,306	3,323	3,557	3,829	4,673
40–44 ...	3,465	3,411	3,369	3,342	3,322	3,298	3,261	3,237	3,281	4,201	4,069
45–49 ...	3,688	3,777	3,685	3,563	3,468	3,402	3,349	3,309	3,184	3,465	3,743
50–54 ...	3,275	3,143	3,195	3,328	3,449	3,585	3,670	3,583	3,221	3,156	4,061
55–59 ...	3,441	3,438	3,430	3,366	3,273	3,120	2,997	3,050	3,426	2,978	3,269
60–64 ...	3,133	3,158	3,173	3,186	3,184	3,176	3,177	3,172	2,828	2,877	2,843
65–69 ...	2,566	2,626	2,668	2,702	2,729	2,758	2,782	2,799	2,809	2,836	2,492
70–74 ...	1,876	1,907	1,952	2,001	2,050	2,106	2,156	2,191	2,308	2,095	2,153
75–79 ...	1,293	1,307	1,323	1,340	1,358	1,377	1,401	1,435	1,613	1,734	1,777
80–84 ...	750	757	762	765	774	784	792	805	880	1,057	989
85 and over	419	425	433	441	448	454	460	463	496	611	693
lales	26,958	27,108	27,265	27,429	27,600	27,776	27,952	28,127	29,019	31,095	33,751
Age groups											
0–4 ...	2,456	2,436	2,423	2,429	2,444	2,478	2,512	2,539	2,609	2,892	3,140
5–9 ...	2,298	2,354	2,404	2,427	2,432	2,415	2,396	2,384	2,502	2,676	3,004
10–14 ...	2,000	2,038	2,087	2,146	2,210	2,265	2,321	2,371	2,351	2,538	2,824
15–19 ...	2,012	1,983	1,968	1,976	2,000	2,035	2,072	2,120	2,405	2,504	2,680
20–24 ...	2,144	2,182	2,200	2,196	2,099	2,036	2,009	1,994	2,146	2,413	2,603
25–29 ...	1,758	1,797	1,840	1,903	2,044	2,125	2,163	2,181	1,978	2,416	2,518
30–34 ...	1,699	1,713	1,720	1,710	1,712	1,739	1,779	1,821	2,162	2,115	2,382
35–39 ...	1,706	1,693	1,685	1,675	1,671	1,679	1,693	1,700	1,803	1,943	2,382
40–44 ...	1,739	1,715	1,698	1,690	1,686	1,680	1,669	1,661	1,678	2,119	2,077
45–49 ...	1,828	1,874	1,832	1,773	1,729	1,701	1,678	1,661	1,628	1,749	1,893
50–54 ...	1,590	1,530	1,561	1,631	1,694	1,764	1,808	1,768	1,605	1,598	2,029
55–59 ...	1,647	1,642	1,636	1,605	1,562	1,491	1,436	1,468	1,666	1,492	1,619
60–64 ...	1,456	1,470	1,479	1,485	1,482	1,476	1,473	1,470	1,323	1,376	1,384
65–69 ...	1,117	1,153	1,175	1,190	1,204	1,219	1,232	1,241	1,237	1,276	1,161
70–74 ...	712	726	754	786	818	851	879	896	949	865	909
75–79 ...	450	453	455	458	463	469	479	497	593	634	662
80–84 ...	233	233	233	233	235	237	238	241	265	337	314
85 and over	115	116	115	116	115	116	115	114	119	152	170
emales ...	28,433	28,565	28,705	28,850	28,998	29,150	29,305	29,460	30,240	32,070	34,439
Age groups											
0–4 ...	2,332	2,314	2,302	2,306	2,318	2,350	2,383	2,407	2,473	2,738	2,971
5–9 ...	2,183	2,239	2,290	2,313	2,319	2,305	2,286	2,274	2,381	2,546	2,852
10–14 ...	1,904	1,939	1,985	2,044	2,105	2,161	2,217	2,268	2,251	2,424	2,692
15–19 ...	1,939	1,904	1,881	1,878	1,898	1,924	1,959	2,005	2,288	2,378	2,543
20–24 ...	2,090	2,129	2,152	2,152	2,058	1,990	1,954	1,930	2,055	2,320	2,493
25–29 ...	1,705	1,749	1,799	1,865	2,002	2,086	2,126	2,148	1,928	2,333	2,426
30–34 ...	1,619	1,639	1,648	1,642	1,651	1,685	1,729	1,778	2,127	2,033	2,300
35–39 ...	1,641	1,615	1,596	1,583	1,580	1,593	1,613	1,623	1,754	1,886	2,291
40–44 ...	1,726	1,696	1,671	1,652	1,636	1,618	1,592	1,576	1,603	2,082	1,992
45–49 ...	1,860	1,903	1,853	1,790	1,739	1,701	1,671	1,648	1,556	1,716	1,850
50–54 ...	1,686	1,613	1,634	1,697	1,755	1,821	1,862	1,815	1,616	1,558	2,032
55–59 ...	1,794	1,796	1,794	1,761	1,711	1,629	1,561	1,582	1,760	1,486	1,650
60–64 ...	1,677	1,688	1,694	1,701	1,702	1,700	1,704	1,702	1,505	1,501	1,459
65–69 ...	1,449	1,473	1,493	1,512	1,525	1,539	1,550	1,558	1,572	1,560	1,331
70–74 ...	1,164	1,181	1,198	1,215	1,232	1,255	1,277	1,295	1,359	1,230	1,244
75–79 ...	844	854	868	882	895	908	922	938	1,020	1,100	1,115
80–84 ...	517	524	529	532	539	547	554	564	615	720	675
85 and over	304	309	318	325	333	338	345	349	377	459	523

Sources: Government Actuary's Department
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Distribution of working population

TABLE 14

Thousands

	Unadjusted								Seasonally adjusted	
	Working population			H.M. Forces and Women's Services	Wholly unemployed	Total in civil employment	Employers and self-employed	Employees in employment	Total working population	Employees in employment
	Total	Males	Females							
United Kingdom										
1961 ...	25,344	16,755	8,589	474	287	24,583	1,760	22,824	25,383	22,815
1962 } At June	25,620	16,896	8,724	442	406	24,772	1,747	23,025	25,659	23,017
1963 ...	25,718	16,942	8,776	427	496	24,794	1,735	23,060	25,755	23,047
1964 ...	25,849	16,938	8,911	424	349	25,076	1,720	23,356	25,885	23,343
1965 March ...	25,997	16,924	9,074	424	376	25,198	1,712	23,486	26,071	23,592
June ...	26,048	16,996	9,052	423	299	25,327	1,706	23,621	26,083	23,606
September	26,142	16,969	9,172	421	332	25,389	1,702	23,687	26,078	23,615
December	26,224	17,046	9,178	420	350	25,454	1,699	23,756	26,179	23,737
1966 March ...	26,122	16,919	9,203	418	336	25,369	1,695	23,674	26,207	23,791
June ...	26,175	16,950	9,225	417	281	25,476	1,693	23,784	26,211	23,769
September	26,290	16,982	9,309	416	353	25,521	1,709	23,812	26,219	23,732
December	26,141	16,951	9,189	419	503	25,219	1,725	23,494	26,091	23,471
1967 March ...	25,926	16,764	9,162	419	564	24,943	1,742	23,202	26,018	23,322
June ...	25,985	16,852	9,133	417	503	25,065	1,761	23,305	26,022	23,291
September	26,124	16,940	9,184	413	563	25,148	1,761	23,387	26,046	23,301
December	25,982	16,862	9,120	412	596	24,974	1,761	23,213	25,933	23,193
1968 March ...	25,815	16,662	9,153	407	608	24,800	1,758	23,042	25,907	23,164
June ...	25,825	16,679	9,146	400	542	24,883	1,758	23,125	25,861	23,114
September	25,910	16,719	9,191	395	570	24,945	1,757	22,188		
Great Britain										
1961 ...	24,773	16,366	8,407	474	255	24,044	1,672	22,373	24,810	22,362
1962 } At June	25,046	16,507	8,539	442	372	24,232	1,660	22,572	25,084	22,563
1963 ...	25,138	16,548	8,590	427	461	24,250	1,647	22,603	25,174	22,591
1964 ...	25,268	16,546	8,722	424	317	24,527	1,635	22,892	25,303	22,878
1965 March ...	25,410	16,530	8,880	424	343	24,643	1,626	23,017	25,482	23,121
June ...	25,463	16,604	8,859	423	270	24,770	1,623	23,147	25,497	23,131
September	25,553	16,576	8,977	421	304	24,829	1,620	23,209	25,491	23,139
December	25,636	16,654	8,982	420	319	24,897	1,617	23,280	25,592	23,262
1966 March ...	25,532	16,526	9,006	418	307	24,807	1,614	23,194	25,615	23,309
June ...	25,583	16,556	9,027	417	253	24,913	1,612	23,301	25,618	23,285
September	25,695	16,587	9,108	416	324	24,955	1,629	23,325	25,626	23,247
December	25,549	16,559	8,990	419	467	24,662	1,647	23,016	25,500	22,994
1967 March ...	25,335	16,372	8,963	419	525	24,391	1,664	22,728	25,425	22,846
June ...	25,391	16,457	8,935	417	466	24,509	1,681	22,828	25,427	22,813
September	25,525	16,543	8,982	413	526	24,586	1,681	22,905	25,449	22,821
December	25,385	16,464	8,921	412	559	24,414	1,681	22,733	25,337	22,714
1968 March ...	25,221	16,268	8,952	407	572	24,242	1,681	22,561	25,311	22,681
June ...	25,233	16,285	8,948	400	506	24,326	1,681	22,645	25,268	22,633
September	25,311	16,326	8,986	395	535	24,382	1,681	22,701	25,232	22,612

Sources: Department of Employment and Productivity
Ministry of Health and Social Services (Northern Ireland)

Employees in employment: All industries

At mid-June each year

TABLE 15 — Industries analysed according to the Standard Industrial Classification, 1958 — Thousands

	1961	1962	1963	1964(1) (a)	1964(1) (b)	1965	1966(2) (a)	1966(2) (b)	1967	1968(3)
United Kingdom										
Total employees in employment ...	22,824	23,025	23,060		23,356	23,621		23,784	23,305	23,125
Males	14,660	14,762	14,771		14,899	15,015		15,000	14,651	14,445
Females...	8,164	8,262	8,288		8,458	8,606		8,784	8,653	8,680
of whom:										
Total, index of production industries(4)	11,612	11,554	11,426	11,606	11,639	11,775	11,791	11,852	11,455	11,254
Agriculture, forestry and fishing ...	604	579	566	538	540	497	477	475	443	423
Mining and quarrying...	737	715	686	659	661	628	580	578	554	489
Manufacturing industries	8,972	8,893	8,753	8,881	8,908	9,028	9,055	9,163	8,879	8,790
Construction	1,516	1,552	1,582(5)	1,656	1,659	1,700	1,725	1,681	1,590	1,554
Gas, electricity and water	387	394	404	410	411	418	431	431	433	421
Transport and communication ...	1,732	1,741	1,711	1,693	1,665	1,655	1,629	1,635	1,629	1,610
Distributive trades	2,861	2,930	2,965	2,985	2,998	3,023	3,035	2,987	2,857	2,832
Insurance, banking and finance ...	565	584	611	630	632	645	648	648	658	675
Professional and scientific services ...	2,096	2,193	2,263	2,353	2,364	2,463	2,573	2,569	2,681	2,753
Catering, hotels, etc....	570	597	584	618	621	621	618	617	591	580
Miscellaneous services (excluding catering, hotels, etc.)	1,445	1,492	1,520	1,573	1,579	1,604	1,629	1,619	1,562	1,558
National government service ...	532	541	559	541	554	566	579	578	588	607
Local government service	765	785	815(5)	765	767	772	804	803	840	834
Great Britain										
Total employees in employment ...	22,373	22,572	22,603		22,892	23,147		23,301	22,828	22,645
Males	14,379	14,480	14,486		14,611	14,722		14,704	14,358	14,151
Females...	7,994	8,093	8,116		8,281	8,425		8,597	8,470	8,494
of whom:										
Total, index of production industries(4)	11,384	11,329	11,201	11,376	11,408	11,538	11,549	11,610	11,221	11,017
Agriculture, forestry and fishing ...	591	567	554	527	528	486	467	464	433	413
Mining and quarrying...	733	711	682	655	657	625	576	574	551	486
Manufacturing industries	8,794	8,718	8,582	8,704	8,731	8,847	8,868	8,976	8,701	8,613
Construction	1,478	1,512	1,540(5)	1,614	1,617	1,656	1,681	1,637	1,546	1,506
Gas, electricity and water	380	387	397	402	403	411	423	423	424	413
Transport and communication ...	1,702	1,713	1,683	1,665	1,637	1,628	1,603	1,609	1,603	1,584
Distributive trades	2,801	2,870	2,904	2,925	2,937	2,962	2,974	2,926	2,798	2,774
Insurance, banking and finance ...	556	576	603	621	623	636	639	639	648	665
Professional and scientific services ...	2,052	2,146	2,214	2,302	2,313	2,408	2,517	2,513	2,620	2,690
Catering, hotels, etc....	560	588	574	608	611	612	609	607	582	571
Miscellaneous services (excluding catering, hotels, etc.)	1,418	1,464	1,490	1,542	1,549	1,574	1,598	1,589	1,532	1,529
National government service ...	510	520	537	519	532	545	557	556	565	584
Local government service	753	772	802(5)	752	754	758	789	788	825	818

(1) The figures for June 1964(a) and the corresponding figures for earlier months are not strictly comparable with those for June 1964(b) and later months which, for Great Britain, are on the revised basis of calculation (see pages 110–112 of the March 1966 issue of the *Ministry of Labour Gazette*.)

(2) Between June 1966 and June 1967 the industrial classifications of many establishments in Great Britain were corrected. The estimates for June 1967 take account of these reclassifications and the figures for individual industries are therefore not comparable with those published for previous mid-years. Two sets of estimates are given for June 1966 i.e. (a) excluding the effects of reclassifications (for comparison with earlier estimates) and (b) including the effects of reclassifications (for comparison with subsequent estimates).

(3) Figures after June 1968 are provisional, being subject to revision after the count of National Insurance cards at mid-1969.

(4) Orders II-XVIII of the *Standard Indsutrial Classification* (1958)

(5) Owing to reclassification, figures up to 1963 are not strictly comparable with those from 1964 onwards. See page 59 of the February 1965 issue of the *Ministry of Labour Gazette*.

Sources: Department of Employment and Productivity
Ministry of Health and Social Services (Northern Ireland)

Employees in employment: Index of production industries[3]

TABLE 16 — Industries analysed according to the Standard Industrial Classification 1958 — Thousands

	Index of production industries			Mining and quarrying	Total manufacturing industries	Food, drink and tobacco	Chemicals and allied industries	Metal manufacture	Engineering and electrical goods	Shipbuilding and marine engineering
	Total	Males	Females							
United Kingdom										
1963	11,425·8	8,456·9	2,968·8	686·0	8,753·2	832·5	513·8	592·0	2,148·0	223·7
1964[1] ... (a)	11,606·3	8,586·4	3,019·9	659·0	8,880·9	829·5	509·1	620·7	2,207·0	215·4
... (b)	11,638·7	8,599·9	3,039·0	660·6	8,908·1	832·2	510·5	622·3	2,212·7	215·9
1965 At June ...	11,775·3	8,714·9	3,060·3	628·3	9,028·3	838·8	517·5	632·4	2,286·9	218·2
1966[2] ... (a)	11,790·8	8,703·8	3,087·0	580·1	9,054·9	840·8	527·4	619·2	2,337·4	214·0
... (b)	11,852·1	8,747·3	3,104·8	578·0	9,163·1	861·7	527·3	623·0	2,376·9	213·6
1967	11,455·4	8,492·7	2,962·7	554·2	8,878·5	852·7	518·1	591·8	2,348·0	208·0
1967 October ...	11,434·4	8,462·3	2,972·1	536·9	8,878·7	863·3	512·5	587·7	2,355·9	204·3
November ...	11,429·6	8,449·8	2,979·8	531·6	8,883·1	863·7	512·2	587·1	2,355·3	204·9
December ...	11,397·3	8,426·2	2,971·1	527·5	8,873·6	858·6	510·9	586·8	2,349·9	204·2
1968 January ...	11,285·6	8,353·7	2,931·9	523·5	8,800·6	837·7	507·5	584·0	2,332·6	202·0
February ...	11,279·5	8,338·6	2,940·9	518·9	8,802·7	831·8	506·6	583·6	2,330·1	201·9
March ...	11,268·7	8,331·7	2,937·0	511·8	8,790·2	830·4	504·2	582·4	2,323·6	201·1
April ...	11,243·1	8,312·1	2,931·0	502·2	8,779·6	826·9	503·1	582·2	2,315·6	201·1
May ...	11,273·8	8,328·2	2,945·6	496·3	8,794·6	830·8	502·7	581·2	2,312·0	200·5
June... ...	11,253·9	8,312·9	2,941·0	489·3	8,790·2	835·4	500·3	580·1	2,309·6	197·4
July	11,260·5	8,315·5	2,945·0	484·4	8,816·4	854·0	502·6	582·2	2,311·9	197·5
August ...	11,301·4	8,337·9	2,963·4	478·8	8,856·6	859·5	507·4	584·2	2,317·5	197·3
September ...	11,309·0	8,338·3	2,970·7	474·2	8,862·6	848·7	505·2	585·9	2,324·2	197·9
October ...	11,311·9	8,321·8	2,990·1	470·3	8,878·5	852·9	504·9	585·2	2,326·4	195·3
November ...	11,327·0	8,331·0	2,996·0	467·5	8,890·4	854·5	505·4	586·3	2,329·0	194·2
December ...	11,318·7	8,323·1	2,995·6	464·3	8,902·2	854·6	505·4	587·6	2,333·6	195·6
1969 January ...	11,226·2	8,266·5	2,959·7	461·7	8,843·4	838·7	503·1	586·8	2,321·7	194·5
February ...	11,216·7	8,251·9	2,964·8	459·9	8,847·8	833·4	503·7	588·2	2,325·8	194·7
March ...										
Great Britain										
1963	11,201·4	8,310·1	2,891·3	682·4	8,581·5	804·9	511·2	591·4	2,125·1	211·2
1964[1] ... (a)	11,375·9	8,435·4	2,940·5	655·2	8,704·2	801·9	506·2	620·2	2,181·5	203·3
... (b)	11,408·3	8,448·9	2,959·6	656·8	8,731·4	804·6	507·7	621·8	2,187·2	203·8
1965 At June ...	11,537·8	8,557·8	2,980·0	624·5	8,846·7	810·1	514·9	631·9	2,260·1	204·5
1966[2] ... (a)	11 548·8	8,543·5	3,005·3	576·3	8,868·2	811·2	524·6	618·8	2,308·2	200·5
... (b)	11,610·1	8,587·0	3,023·1	574·2	8,976·4	832·1	524·5	622·6	2,347·7	200·1
1967	11,220·7	8,333·5	2,887·2	550·5	8,700·5	824·2	515·2	591·4	2,319·6	196·8
1967 October ...	11,196·6	8,300·3	2,896·3	533·6	8,701·8	835·1	509·5	587·3	2,327·3	193·6
November ...	11,191·4	8,287·5	2,903·9	528·2	8,705·9	835·5	509·3	586·7	2,326·8	194·3
December ...	11,159·7	8,264·4	2,895·3	524·1	8,696·3	830·2	508·1	586·3	2,321·5	193·6
1968 January ...	11,049·2	8,192·8	2,856·4	520·2	8,623·6	809·7	504·6	583·6	2,304·3	191·5
February ...	11,043·4	8,178·0	2,865·4	515·7	8,625·7	804·0	503·6	583·2	2,301·6	191·6
March ...	11,032·2	8,170·6	2,861·6	508·7	8,613·1	802·9	501·1	582·1	2,295·0	190·9
April ...	11,006·8	8,151·0	2,855·8	499·0	8,602·5	799·2	500·0	581·8	2,287·0	191·2
May... ...	11,038·0	8,167·4	2,870·6	493·0	8,617·6	802·7	499·6	580·8	2,283·4	190·9
June ...	11,017·3	8,151·3	2,866·0	485·9	8,613·1	806·9	497·2	579·7	2,281·0	188·1
July... ...	11,022·6	8,153·8	2,868·8	481·0	8,638·0	825·5	499·4	581·8	2,283·0	188·1
August ...	11,062·2	8,176·0	2,886·2	475·5	8,677·2	831·1	504·1	583·7	2,288·4	187·9
September...	11,068·1	8,176·0	2,892·1	471·0	8,681·6	820·3	501·9	585·4	2,294·7	188·5
October ...	11,071·4	8,159·4	2,912·0	467·0	8,698·1	824·3	501·7	584·7	2,297·1	185·9
November ...	11,087·3	8,168·9	2,918·4	464·2	8,710·6	825·9	502·3	585·8	2,299·8	184·8
December ...	11,080·2	8,161·6	2,918·6	461·0	8,723·4	825·9	502·5	587·1	2,304·5	186·2
1969 January ...	10,990·0	8,107·1	2,882·9	458·5	8,665·0	810·3	500·1	586·3	2,292·5	185·2
February ...	10,980·6	8,092·5	2,888·1	456·7	8,669·3	805·2	500·7	587·8	2,296·5	185·4
March ...										

See footnotes to Table 15.

Sources: Department of Employment and Productivity
Ministry of Health and Social Services (Northern Ireland)

Employees in employment: Index of production industries[3]

TABLE 16 (*continued*) **Industries analysed according to the Standard Industrial Classification, 1958** Thousands

	Vehicles	Metal goods	Textiles	Leather, leather goods and fur	Clothing and footwear	Bricks, pottery, glass, etc.	Timber, furniture, etc.	Paper, printing and publishing	Other manufacturing industries	Construction	Gas, electricity and water
United Kingdom											
1963 ...	874·3	548·6	828·8	62·3	567·6	341·0	285·1	626·6	309·0	1,582·2	404·3
1964[1] (a)	877·8	568·8	830·2	62·8	562·4	354·3	292·6	627·9	322·4	1,656·4	409·9
1965 (b)	879·7	570·9	834·3	62·9	565·3	355·3	293·2	629·6	323·3	1,659·2	410·7
1966[2] At June (a)	870·1	590·8	819·9	61·1	557·9	358·3	301·3	639·7	335·4	1,700·3	418·4
1967 (b)	860·6	596·3	810·1	60·1	551·4	352·2	295·7	647·8	342·0	1,725·0	430·9
...	853·2	599·0	810·8	60·0	554·2	364·9	319·0	650·9	348·7	1,680·6	430·5
	823·0	568·9	752·0	56·9	523·8	352·5	305·9	640·3	336·6	1,590·2	432·5
1967 October ...	815·5	567·2	738·5	56·0	522·2	355·5	314·9	643·9	341·2	1,586·5	432·3
November	813·9	569·0	738·4	56·7	522·2	355·0	317·1	643·2	344·3	1,582·9	432·1
December	815·4	569·8	739·7	56·0	521·8	355·2	317·6	642·2	345·5	1,564·6	431·7
1968 January ...	812·3	565·8	735·0	55·9	516·5	352·2	316·0	639·5	343·6	1,531·4	430·1
February	812·5	567·6	738·3	55·8	517·6	352·2	318·0	640·2	346·5	1,528·8	429·1
March ...	813·0	567·0	736·4	55·9	516·2	352·1	319·0	640·1	348·9	1,538·7	427·9
April ...	812·2	567·0	736·0	55·6	515·6	353·4	320·9	640·1	349·8	1,535·8	425·5
May ...	812·0	568·4	737·5	56·4	519·5	355·1	324·7	641·2	352·7	1,559·7	423·2
June ...	811·0	568·6	737·3	56·4	517·5	355·1	326·1	641·6	353·8	1,553·7	420·7
July ...	810·4	569·5	737·4	56·3	515·4	356·7	325·0	642·8	354·8	1,541·8	417·9
August ...	810·2	571·8	742·4	56·7	519·7	359·3	326·3	647·9	356·5	1,548·2	417·8
September	815·5	573·5	744·2	56·7	522·9	357·5	326·1	646·6	357·7	1,555·5	416·7
October ...	819·2	576·8	745·3	56·7	523·9	357·5	326·4	647·2	360·8	1,547·6	415·6
November	820·4	579·0	748·3	56·9	523·5	357·6	325·5	647·5	362·3	1,555·3	413·9
December	823·2	580·0	749·7	56·7	524·0	357·1	323·9	648·3	362·6	1,539·9	412·3
1969 January ...	823·7	574·9	747·0	56·3	519·6	354·1	319·3	645·3	358·5	1,510·2	410·9
February ...	829·8	576·0	748·3	56·2	519·4	354·0	314·9	643·7	359·7	1,499·2	409·8
March ...											
Great Britain											
1963 ...	865·9	545·8	776·4	61·6	542·8	337·0	280·8	620·6	306·8	1,540·4	397·1
1964[1] (a)	869·5	566·2	776·6	62·2	536·4	350·3	288·0	621·7	320·1	1,614·1	402·4
1965 (b)	871·4	568·3	780·7	62·3	539·3	351·3	288·6	623·4	321·0	1,616·9	403·2
1966[2] At June (a)	861·8	588·1	767·4	60·4	531·5	354·1	296·4	633·2	332·3	1,656·0	410·6
1967 (b)	852·6	593·3	756·6	59·3	524·8	348·3	290·8	641·0	338·2	1,681·0	423·3
	845·2	596·0	757·3	59·2	527·6	361·0	314·1	644·1	344·9	1,636·6	422·9
	815·5	565·8	702·0	56·1	498·9	348·5	301·1	633·4	332·0	1,545·6	424·1
1967 October	807·8	564·4	689·5	55·3	496·5	351·4	310·5	637·3	336·3	1,537·3	423·9
November	806·1	566·1	689·6	55·9	496·3	350·9	312·6	636·6	339·2	1,533·7	423·6
December	807·5	566·9	691·1	55·2	495·7	351·2	313·1	635·6	340·3	1,516·2	423·1
1968 January ...	804·4	562·9	686·4	55·1	490·6	348·2	311·4	632·8	338·1	1,483·7	421·7
February	804·7	564·7	689·5	55·1	491·8	348·3	313·4	633·6	340·6	1,481·1	420·9
March ...	805·2	564·1	687·5	55·2	490·5	348·2	314·3	633·5	342·6	1,490·5	419·9
April ...	804·3	564·1	687·5	54·9	490·0	349·3	316·1	633·5	343·6	1,487·9	417·4
May ...	803·9	565·4	689·6	55·6	493·9	350·9	319·9	634·5	346·5	1,512·4	415·0
June ...	802·8	565·5	689·8	55·6	492·0	350·8	321·2	634·9	347·6	1,505·8	412·5
July ...	802·2	566·5	689·6	55·5	489·2	352·4	320·3	636·0	348·5	1,493·8	409·8
August ...	802·1	568·7	694·3	56·0	492·9	355·0	321·7	641·2	350·1	1,499·8	409·7
September	807·5	570·4	695·6	56·0	495·4	353·2	321·6	639·9	351·2	1,506·8	408·7
October ..	811·1	573·7	697·1	56·0	496·6	353·3	321·9	640·5	354·2	1,498·8	407·5
November	812·2	575·9	700·4	56·1	496·5	353·5	321·0	640·8	355·6	1,506·8	405·7
December	815·0	576·9	702·3	55·9	497·3	353·0	319·5	641·5	355·8	1,491·8	404·0
1969 January ...	815·6	571·8	699·6	55·5	493·0	350·1	314·8	638·6	351·6	1,463·8	402·7
February	821·7	572·9	700·8	55·4	492·9	350·0	310·4	637·0	352·6	1,452·8	401·8
March ...											

See footnotes to Table 15.

Sources: Department of Employment and Productivity
Ministry of Health and Social Services (Northern Ireland).

Constructional work: Operatives employed by contractors(1)

Great Britain

TABLE 20 — Annual averages or end of period — Thousands

	Total	Total new work	New housing			Other new work					Repair and maintenance
			Total	For public sector	For private sector	Total	For public sector	For private sector			
								Total	Industrial	Non-industrial	
1963	1,083	747	286	125	161	461	200	261	120	141	336
1964	1,142	812	325	150	175	487	221	266	124	142	330
1965	1,126	804	320	150	170	484	213	271	128	143	322
1966	1,102	790	311	157	154	479	218	261	129	132	312
1967	1,057	764	306	163	143	458	219	239	115	124	293
1968											
1967 January ...	1,046	754	297	163	134	457	211	246	120	126	292
April ...	1,053	760	306	165	141	454	216	238	115	123	293
July	1,066	773	311	164	147	462	225	234	115	122	293
October ...	1,064	770	310	160	150	460	225	235	109	126	294
1968 January ...	1,018	734	295	155	140	439	218	221	104	117	284
April ...	1,022	739	297	157	140	442	225	217	105	112	283
July ...	1,026	740	296	157	139	444	227	217	105	112	286
October ...	1,027	741	295	160	135	446	224	222	110	112	286
1969 January ...	1,004	722	281	155	126	441	213	228	111	117	282

(1) Insured operatives (male and female) aged 15 years and over. Administrative, technical and clerical workers and self-employed operatives are excluded.

Source: Ministry of Public Building and Works

Overtime and short-time worked by operatives in manufacturing industries(1)

Great Britain(2)

TABLE 21 — Thousands

	Operatives working overtime (3)			Operatives on short-time							
		Hours of overtime worked		Total			Stood off for whole week		Working part of week		
	Number of operatives	Total	Average	Number of operatives	Hours lost		Number of operatives	Total number of hours lost	Number of operatives	Hours lost	
					Total	Average				Total	Average
Week ended:											
1963 May 18	1,771	13,945	8	92	1,022	11	7	276	85	746	8½
1964 May 16	1,952	15,556	8	34	323	9½	1	54	33	269	8½
1965 May 15	2,160	18,325	8½	30	318	11	2	85	28	233	8½
1966 May 21	2,212	18,890	8½	33	263	8	1	30	32	232	7
1967 May 26	1,947	16,161	8½	108	1,169	11	5	219	102	950	9½
1968 January 13	1,894	15,482	8	52	630	12	4	160	48	470	10
February 17	2,000	16,684	8½	47	524	11	3	105	44	419	9½
March 16	2,043	17,183	8½	37	414	11	2	74	36	340	9½
April 13	2,075	17,595	8½	34	342	10	2	86	32	256	8
May 18	2,073	17,363	8½	35	347	10	1	50	24	297	8½
June 15	2,045	17,188	8½	30	305	10	2	66	28	240	8½
July 13	2,023	17,607	8½	25	227	9	1	33	24	194	8
August 17	1,865	15,875	8½	19	206	11	1	59	18	147	8½
September 14	2,051	17,668	8½	28	534	19	9	359	20	175	9
October 19	2,125	18,489	8½	21	206	10	1	48	20	158	8
November 16	2,188	18,739	8½	22	240	11	1	58	21	182	9
December 14	2,166	18,839	8½	24	252	10½	1	43	23	209	9
1969 January 18	2,082	17,897	8½	22	260	12	2	82	20	178	9
February 15	2,088	17,753	8½	24	282	11½	2	86	22	196	9
March 15											

Note: Figures after June 1968 are provisional and may be revised after the count of national insurance cards at mid-1969.

(1) Orders III-XVI of the Standard Industrial Classification 1958.

(2) Figures relate to establishments with more than 10 employees in all manufacturing industries except shipbuilding and ship repairing.

(3) Excluding maintenance staff.

Source: Department of Employment and Productivity

Registered unemployed

TABLE 22

Thousands

	Great Britain									Northern Ireland			
	Total				Married women	Wholly unemployed (including casuals)		Temporarily stopped		Total			
	Total	Percentage rate(1)	Males	Females		Males	Females	Males	Females	Total	Percentage rate(1)	Males	Females
1963 Monthly averages	573·2	2·5	440·1	133·1	58·8	393·8	126·7	46·2	6·4	39·0	8·0	28·2	10·8
1964 Monthly averages	380·6	1·6	286·2	94·4	44·3	279·6	92·6	6·6	1·8	32·8	6·6	23·6	9·2
1965 Monthly averages	328·8	1·4	250·3	78·5	35·4	240·6	76·4	9·7	2·1	30·9	6·1	22·4	8·7
1966 Monthly averages	359·7	1·5	285·1	74·6	31·2	259·6	71·3	25·5	3·4	31·2	6·1	22·7	8·5
1967 Monthly averages	559·5	2·4	451·2	108·3	42·6	420·7	100·2	30·5	8·0	39·6	7·7	27·5	12·2
1968 Monthly averages	564·1	2·4	473·7	90·4	34·8	460·7	88·8	13·1	1·6	37·2	7·2	27·7	9·5
1966 April 18	307·5	1·3	241·4	66·1	30·6	234·0	64·9	7·4	1·1	29·9	5·9	22·3	7·6
May 16	280·3	1·2	219·9	60·3	29·1	212·0	59·3	8·0	1·1	28·4	5·6	21·0	7·3
June 13	261·1	1·1	206·5	54·6	26·4	199·5	53·7	7·0	0·9	30·6	6·0	22·9	7·7
July 11	264·2	1·1	209·1	55·1	24·8	204·1	54·2	5·0	0·9	29·5	5·8	21·6	7·9
August 8	317·0	1·3	245·5	71·5	24·8	239·5	70·4	6·0	1·2	28·6	5·6	21·0	7·6
September 12	340·2	1·4	266·4	73·8	28·2	253·2	71·0	13·3	2·8	30·1	5·9	21·5	8·6
October 10	436·2	1·9	348·7	87·5	34·6	292·2	82·4	56·5	5·1	31·8	6·2	22·5	9·3
November 14	542·6	2·3	435·8	106·8	39·2	345·8	93·1	90·0	13·7	34·0	6·6	24·0	10·0
December 12	564·2	2·4	460·3	103·9	40·9	373·4	93·8	86·9	10·1	37·7	7·4	26·6	11·1
1967 January 9	600·2	2·6	487·4	112·7	42·5	425·2	102·1	62·2	10·6	40·9	8·0	28·9	12·0
February 13	602·8	2·6	483·2	119·7	47·1	430·8	106·9	52·4	12·8	41·5	8·1	28·5	13·0
March 13	569·0	2·4	453·4	115·6	46·8	420·8	104·0	32·6	11·5	41·6	8·1	28·9	12·7
April 10	567·4	2·4	452·5	114·9	46·8	421·2	104·2	31·3	10·7	42·8	8·3	29·9	13·0
May 8	541·4	2·3	433·3	108·1	45·7	398·9	97·8	34·4	10·3	40·3	7·8	27·9	12·5
June 12	499·8	2·1	403·6	96·2	40·8	377·9	88·0	25·8	8·2	39·3	7·7	26·9	12·5
July 10	497·1	2·1	401·2	95·9	38·5	383·3	88·9	17·9	7·0	38·3	7·5	26·7	11·6
August 14	555·6	2·4	443·1	112·5	38·7	426·1	106·9	17·0	5·6	39·2	7·6	26·9	12·4
September 11	555·4	2·4	447·8	107·6	40·0	424·0	101·7	23·7	5·9	38·5	7·5	26·2	12·2
October 9	560·7	2·4	452·5	108·2	42·2	429·3	102·4	23·2	5·9	37·8	7·4	25·9	11·8
November 13	581·6	2·5	474·7	106·9	42·0	450·0	102·3	24·7	4·6	37·3	7·2	25·9	11·4
December 11	582·7	2·5	481·8	100·9	40·0	461·2	97·7	20·6	3·2	38·2	7·4	27·0	11·2
1968 January 8	630·9	2·7	526·4	104·5	39·5	499·2	101·2	27·2	3·3	40·1	7·8	28·3	11·8
February 12	619·2	2·7	516·5	102·7	39·8	496·4	99·6	20·1	3·1	38·7	7·5	27·8	10·9
March 11	589·9	2·5	492·9	97·0	39·1	477·0	95·0	15·9	2·0	36·4	7·1	26·0	10·4
April 8	578·4	2·5	483·5	94·9	37·6	473·7	93·2	9·8	1·7	36·6	7·1	26·7	9·9
May 13	548·9	2·4	461·5	87·4	36·3	449·9	85·7	11·6	1·7	37·3	7·2	27·8	9·5
June 10	516·7	2·2	438·7	78·0	32·6	429·4	77·1	9·3	1·0	36·0	7·0	27·2	8·8
July 8	514·6	2·2	437·4	77·2	30·8	428·8	76·1	8·6	1·1	36·2	7·0	27·4	8·8
August 12	561·4	2·4	468·4	93·0	30·7	461·6	91·6	6·9	1·4	36·9	7·2	27·7	9·2
September 9	547·4	2·4	459·7	87·7	31·0	448·1	86·5	11·6	1·2	35·7	6·9	27·1	8·6
October 14	549·3	2·4	459·6	89·7	34·2	450·1	88·7	9·5	1·0	36·3	7·0	27·5	8·8
November 11	560·9	2·4	472·7	88·2	33·6	457·2	87·3	15·4	0·9	37·8	7·3	29·0	8·8
December 9	551·7	2·4	467·7	84·0	32·4	456·8	83·2	10·9	0·8	38·6	7·5	30·0	8·6
1969 January 13	594·5	2·6	506·6	87·9	33·4	497·1	87·0	9·6	0·9	41·3	8·0	32·6	8·8
February 10	591·2	2·6	504·6	86·6	33·4	490·8	85·3	13·8	1·3	41·3	8·0	32·8	8·5
March 10	589·4	2·5	505·5	83·9	32·5	483·8	82·3	21·8	1·6	39·1	7·6	31·0	8·1
April 14	557·6	2·4	475·9	81·7						36·8	7·1	28·9	7·9
May 12													
June 9													

(1) Number registered as unemployed expressed as a percentage of the estimated total number of employees.

Sources: Department of Employment and Productivity
Ministry of Health and Social Services (Northern Ireland)

Registered unemployed

TABLE 23 — Analysis by regions — Thousands

	London and South Eastern	Eastern and Southern	South Western	Midlands	Yorkshire and Humber-side	North Western	Northern	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
1966 Monthly averages	54·9	34·0	24·5	47·5	25·4	45·5	35·1	29·4	63·5	31·2
1967 Monthly averages	93·3	51·4	33·8	83·8	44·4	74·9	53·1	40·3	84·6	39·6
1968 Monthly averages	93·5	49·3	33·5	78·8	52·9	72·7	61·4	39·3	82·9	37·2
1968 April 8	99·1	51·6	34·6	79·2	53·1	75·8	60·0	39·8	85·1	36·6
May 13	93·0	47·7	31·4	76·6	52·3	71·8	58·7	37·7	79·8	37·3
June 10	86·5	43·6	28·4	71·3	49·2	67·4	56·4	35·6	78·4	36·0
July 8	84·0	42·5	27·8	70·8	48·5	67·2	58·0	35·9	79·8	36·2
August 12	89·4	46·9	30·5	79·0	55·4	73·0	65·6	39·9	81·7	36·9
September 9	86·5	47·9	30·4	75·8	53·4	71·8	63·9	39·2	78·6	35·7
October 14	88·0	47·5	33·8	74·2	53·0	71·1	63·6	38·9	79·2	36·3
November 11	89·4	48·8	36·0	79·5	53·0	71·2	64·6	39·1	79·4	37·8
December 9	91·7	49·0	35·8	71·2	52·4	68·7	63·8	39·8	79·2	38·6
1969 January 13	96·9	54·1	38·2	73·6	57·1	74·9	68·5	41·6	89·6	41·3
February 10	96·6	55·6	38·6	75·9	56·2	74·5	66·6	41·5	85·6	41·3
March 10	93·4	59·7	38·0	76·3	55·5	77·8	64·7	40·8	83·2	39·1
April 14	90·4	51·8	35·8	69·8	54·3	71·9	64·0	39·5	80·0	36·8
May 12										
June 9										
Unemployment rate at April 14 (1)	*1·6*	*1·8*	*2·7*	*1·9*	*2·7*	*2·4*	*4·9*	*4·0*	*3·7*	*7·1*

(1) Number registered as unemployed expressed as a percentage of the estimated total number of employees. For Great Britain as a whole the figure was 2·4 per cent.

Source: Department of Employment and Productivity

Registered wholly unemployed in Great Britain(1)

TABLE 24 — Analysis by duration of unemployment — Thousands

	Males				Females			
	Total (including school-leavers) (2)	2 weeks or less	Over 2 but not more than 8 weeks	More than 8 weeks	Total (including school-leavers) (2)	2 weeks or less	Over 2 but not more than 8 weeks	More than 8 weeks
1966 Monthly averages	256·4	56·9	66·3	133·1	71·1	19·2	21·5	30·4
1967 Monthly averages	416·7	72·5	102·4	241·9	100·1	22·5	29·1	48·5
1968 Monthly averages	457·3	73·6	107·7	276·0	88·6	19·7	25·5	43·5
1968 January 8	493·8	84·7	120·7	288·4	101·0	23·6	26·2	51·1
February 12	491·6	75·2	114·9	301·5	99·4	20·1	27·5	51·8
March 11	472·4	68·0	105·5	298·8	94·8	18·7	26·7	49·4
April 8	469·8	79·7	105·5	284·6	93·0	21·5	25·7	45·8
May 13	446·3	67·6	98·1	280·5	85·5	17·4	22·7	45·3
June 10	426·5	60·4	95·7	270·4	76·9	14·0	21·0	41·9
July 8	426·3	74·8	94·0	257·5	75·9	18·9	19·5	37·5
August 12	459·4	74·3	118·5	266·5	91·4	21·1	30·3	39·9
September 9	445·7	71·6	104·6	269·5	86·3	20·6	26·0	39·8
October 14	447·3	81·4	111·6	254·3	88·5	24·6	27·6	36·3
November 11	454·1	76·4	114·1	263·6	87·1	20·1	28·3	38·7
December 9	454·0	68·7	108·8	276·5	83·0	16·3	24·7	42·0
1969 January 13	494·2	84·3	119·3	290·6	86·8	22·4	22·8	41·6
February 10	488·0	77·8	111·6	298·6	85·1	18·6	24·2	42·3
March 10	480·9	69·8	111·8	299·3	82·1	17·3	22·5	42·3

(1) Excluding casuals. (2) School-leavers are persons under the age of 18 registered as unemployed who have had no insured employment.

Source: Department of Employment and Productivity

Registered wholly unemployed in Great Britain(1)

TABLE 25

Industries analysed according to the Standard Industrial Classification, 1958

Thousands

	All industries(1)			Production industries			Agriculture, forestry and fishing	Transport and communication	Distributive trades	Catering, hotels, etc.	All other industries and services(1)
	Total	Males	Females	Total	Manufacturing	Construction					
	II–XVIII			III–XVI	XVII	I	XIX	XX	M.L.H.884	XXI–XXIV (excl. M.L.H.884)	
1963 Monthly averages	502	383	120	250	152	85	15	32	59	26	119
1964	362	273	89	163	100	53	12	25	43	21	98
1965	308	236	73	135	80	46	10	24	36	18	86
1966	323	255	68	147	85	52	10	24	37	19	87
1967	512	415	97	262	152	96	13	34	57	26	120
1968	541	455	86	280	152	102	13	35	57	25	130
Unadjusted											
1967 October	522	424	99	263	156	91	12	35	57	29	127
November	548	448	101	275	156	102	14	37	59	33	131
December	556	459	97	284	157	110	15	36	58	32	132
1968 January	596	496	100	310	168	123	17	39	64	32	135
February	593	494	99	307	166	121	16	40	64	31	135
March	570	475	94	294	161	112	15	38	62	29	133
April	558	468	90	290	159	107	14	36	60	26	133
May	532	447	85	279	154	100	13	34	58	22	127
June	504	428	76	267	147	95	12	32	54	19	120
July	497	424	73	262	143	92	11	31	52	18	123
August	517	438	79	269	148	92	12	31	55	19	130
September	514	435	79	266	145	91	11	31	55	20	130
October	532	445	86	270	145	94	12	34	56	28	133
November	541	455	86	273	145	98	13	36	55	29	133
December	538	455	82	274	141	101	14	35	54	28	132
1969 January	580	495	86	303	152	119	16	38	60	28	135
February	574	489	84	299	150	118	15	38	59	28	134
March	564	483	82	297	149	117	15	36	58	26	132
Seasonally adjusted											
1967 October	541	445	97	285	164	107	15	34	59	25	125
November	536	443	94	280	158	106	14	34	59	26	124
December	538	445	92	280	159	105	13	34	59	26	126
1968 January	520	425	87	263	157	88	12	34	56	26	127
February	503	412	84	252	149	85	12	35	55	25	125
March	509	418	84	255	147	88	12	34	55	25	127
April	535	449	85	276	149	106	13	35	56	26	129
May	545	466	86	286	149	117	14	35	58	25	129
June	569	488	89	299	155	120	16	37	60	26	132
July	580	497	92	306	159	121	16	37	61	27	136
August	585	497	95	306	161	115	16	37	62	29	139
September	575	488	87	302	157	114	15	35	60	25	138
October	551	468	84	293	153	110	15	33	57	25	131
November	529	450	79	279	147	102	13	34	55	23	127
December	520	441	77	271	143	97	12	33	55	23	126
1969 January	506	424	72	258	142	85	11	33	53	23	127
February	504	424	72	258	135	92	12	33	52	23	126
March	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

(1) Including ex-service men and women and other registered unemployed persons aged 18 years and over not classified to an industry. Registered unemployed school-leavers (i.e. persons under 18 not in full-time education who have not yet taken up employment) are excluded.

Source: Department of Employment and Productivity

Registered unemployed in Great Britain

Industries analysed according to the Standard Industrial Classification, 1958

TABLE 26 — Thousands

	Total	Agriculture, forestry and fishing	Mining and quarrying	Food, drink and tobacco	Chemicals and allied industries	Metal manufacture	Engineering and allied industries	Textiles, leather and clothing	Other manufacturing industries	Construction	Transport communications and public utilities	Distributive trades	Professional, financial and miscellaneous services and public administration(1)
1966 Monthly averages	359·7	12·0	6·6	10·5	5·6	9·6	53·1	14·5	18·1	52·5	27·3	37·2	112·9
1967 Monthly averages	559·5	14·7	10·1	16·6	8·5	19·7	81·9	30·6	30·0	96·1	38·7	57·0	155·6
1968 Monthly averages	564·1	14·8	20·6	17·0	8·8	14·7	75·1	20·1	28·0	102·5	40·5	57·6	164·7
1968 January 8	630·9	18·9	13·3	18·8	9·4	18·6	88·9	24·7	31·3	124·8	44·7	64·1	173·4
February 12	619·2	17·8	14·3	18·9	9·3	17·3	85·3	23·4	31·4	12·71	45·2	64·7	169·9
March 11	589·9	16·9	15·7	18·0	9·1	16·0	80·7	22·0	29·8	112·0	43·0	62·1	164·7
April 8	578·4	15·4	18·3	17·9	9·2	16·1	74·3	21·4	28·8	107·1	41·9	60·6	167·5
May 13	548·9	14·8	19·4	17·3	8·7	16·2	72·7	21·1	28·0	100·2	39·4	58·0	153·0
June 10	516·7	13·0	20·1	16·1	8·6	13·7	71·5	19·3	26·3	94·9	37·6	54·0	141·7
July 8	514·6	12·3	21·2	15·7	8·4	13·2	68·7	18·4	26·5	92·4	36·7	51·9	149·1
August 12	561·4	12·5	23·5	16·2	8·7	13·2	69·2	18·9	27·8	91·7	37·1	55·4	187·0
September 9	560·9	12·4	24·4	16·0	8·7	12·7	73·2	18·7	26·6	91·1	37·2	55·5	170·9
October 14	549·3	13·4	25·1	16·5	8·9	13·1	70·5	17·8	26·4	94·0	39·7	55·8	168·1
November 11	560·9	14·6	25·4	16·2	8·7	14·0	75·1	17·8	26·3	98·2	42·3	55·4	166·8
December 9	551·7	15·3	26·1	16·1	8·3	12·4	70·6	17·0	26·3	101·5	40·6	53·8	163·7
1969 January 13	594·5	19·1	26·5	18·0	8·9	13·3	68·7	18·5	29·9	119·6	44·0	60·1	167·9
February 10	591·2	17·5	26·3	17·9	8·9	12·5	70·9	18·2	31·0	119·8	43·4	59·4	165·4
March 10	589·4	16·4	25·6	17·7	8·7	12·4	80·0	18·0	31·0	119·0	42·0	58·2	160·4

(1) Including ex-service men and women who have not yet taken up employment and other unemployed persons not classified to an industry.

Source: Department of Employment and Productivity

Registered unemployed in Great Britain

Analysed according to entitlement to benefit

TABLE 27 — End of period — Thousands

	Total	Receiving unemployment benefit			Receiving supplementary allowance only	Others registered for work
		Total	Unemployment benefit only	Unemployment benefit and supplementary allowance		
1964 May	369	192	157	34	95	83
November	350	172	146	26	85	93
1965 May	307	157	134	23	72	78
November	321	165	142	22	68	88
1966 May	280	145	122	23	61	74
November	543	309	262	46	88	146
1967 February	603	379	304	75	97	127
May	541	334	259	76	94	113
August	556	306	233	73	101	149
November	582	325	251	75	122	135
1968 February	619	352	269	83	140	127
May	549	300	231	69	132	117
August	561	277	217	60	131	153
November	561	297	237	60	131	133
1969 February	591	321	251	71	139	130

Source: Department of Employment and Productivity

Employment vacancies filled and unfilled

Great Britain

TABLE 28 — Periods of four or five weeks — Thousands

	Total		Males						Females					
			Total		18 years and over		Under 18 years		Total		18 years and over		Under 18 years	
	Placed	Unfilled vacancies: End of period	Placed	Unfilled vacancies: End of period	Placed	Unfilled vacancies: End of period	Placed	Unfilled vacancies: End of period	Placed	Unfilled vacancies: End of period	Placed	Unfilled vacancies: End of period	Placed	Unfilled vacancies: End of period
1963	1,831	213	1,139	105	902	79	238	26	694	108	483	76	210	32
1964	1,952	311	1,253	163	1,010	120	243	42	699	149	505	102	194	47
1965	1,964	347	1,285	182	1,056	135	230	47	681	164	504	111	174	53
1966(1) ...	1,957	234	1,279	125	1,060	97	219	28	678	109	508	76	170	33
1967	1,807	224	1,151	113	936	85	215	28	656	111	487	78	169	32
1968	1,895	267	1,247	131	1,031	100	216	31	649	136	488	95	160	41
1968 Apr. 3 ...	138	278	94	133	83	90	11	42	44	146	37	95	7	50
*May 8 ...	186	287	120	137	93	94	27	43	66	150	43	100	23	51
June 5 ...	134	303	90	144	78	98	12	47	43	159	36	105	8	54
July 3 ...	148	313	97	149	84	98	12	50	51	164	42	107	9	57
*Aug. 7 ...	209	286	127	138	95	95	32	44	82	148	50	98	32	50
Sept. 4 ...	164	277	107	132	76	95	31	37	58	145	35	100	23	44
*Oct. 9 ...	200	268	132	127	104	94	28	34	68	140	51	97	17	43
Nov. 6 ...	150	266	100	129	85	98	15	32	49	137	40	95	10	42
Dec. 4 ...	138	267	94	131	82	100	12	31	44	136	37	95	7	41
1969*Jan. 8 ...	138	252	94	120	83	90	11	30	44	132	37	91	7	41
Feb. 5 ...	151	264	102	128	89	94	13	34	49	136	40	93	9	43
Mar. 5 ...	137	284	95	137	84	98	11	39	42	147	36	97	7	50
*Apr. 9 ...	170	303	115	146	96	103	18	44	55	156	39	102	16	54
May 7 ...														
June 4 ...														

Northern Ireland

Number

1963	33,393	1,419	23,904	503	21,378	448	2,526	55	9,489	916	7,820	767	1,669	149
1964	30,264	1,753	21,985	483	19,126	315	2,859	168	8,279	1,270	6,673	868	1,606	402
1965	31,507	3,778	22,682	1,410	19,284	621	3,398	789	8,825	2,368	6,610	1,156	2,215	1,212
1966(1) ...	31,687	2,219	22,759	910	18,196	536	4,563	374	8,928	1,309	5,909	822	3,019	487
1967	33,042	1,691	24,019	743	19,631	435	4,388	308	9,023	948	5,512	610	3,511	338
1968	35,294	2,623	24,194	953	19,705	666	4,489	287	11,100	1,670	7,220	1,025	3,880	645
1968 Apr. 8	2,688	3,271	1,891	1,198	1,592	481	299	717	797	2,073	577	824	220	1,249
*May 13	3,090	2,913	1,951	1,000	1,433	380	518	620	1,139	1,913	648	853	491	1,060
June 10	2,420	3,376	1,584	1,144	1,308	454	276	690	836	2,232	587	1,102	249	1,130
July 8	2,510	3,270	1,450	992	1,106	357	344	635	1,060	2,278	591	1,082	469	1,196
*Aug. 12	2,671	2,758	1,610	833	1,202	396	408	437	1,061	1,925	582	1,062	479	863
Sept. 9	2,528	3,185	1,578	1,055	1,133	526	445	529	950	2,130	588	1,226	362	904
*Oct. 14	3,664	2,952	2,537	1,060	1,953	620	584	440	1,127	1,892	710	1,098	417	794
Nov. 11	2,765	2,805	1,891	1,015	1,531	578	360	437	874	1,790	602	1,137	272	653
Dec. 9	2,945	2,623	2,145	953	1,797	666	348	287	800	1,670	567	1,025	233	645
1969*Jan. 13	3,626	3,348	2,933	1,398	2,683	1,033	250	365	693	1,950	521	1,254	172	696
Feb. 10	2,611	3,502	1,784	1,425	1,508	1,007	276	418	827	2,077	597	1,344	230	733
Mar. 10	2,688	3,796	1,977	1,503	1,705	1,017	272	486	711	2,293	522	1,419	189	874
*Apr. 14	3,343	4,205	2,281	1,565	1,915	950	366	615	1,062	2,640	626	1,508	436	1,132
May 12														
June 9														

(1) 53 week period.
* Five week period.

Sources: Department of Employment and Productivity
Ministry of Health and Social Services (Northern Ireland)

Industrial stoppages(1)(2)

TABLE 29

Thousands

	Workers involved(3)	Total working days lost(4)						
		All industries and services	Mining and quarrying	Metals, engineering, shipbuilding and vehicles	Textiles and clothing	Construction	Transport and communication	All other industries and services
Estimated number of employees in employment at mid-June 1968		*23,125*	*489*	*4,467*	*1,255*	*1,554*	*1,610*	*13,750*
1963	590	1,755	326	854	25	356	72	122
1964	871	2,277	309	1,338	34	125	312	160
1965	871	2,925	413	1,763	52	135	305	257
1966	530	2,398	118	871	12	145	1,069	183
1967	732	2,787	108	1,422	31	201	823	202
1968	2,254	4,699	57	3,373	40	235	557	437
1966 July	23	133	4	26	1	7	87	9
August	33	64	3	45	—	10	2	6
September	23	60	10	18	—	12	10	11
October	58	163	15	39	—	18	76	15
November	37	135	12	68	—	19	25	10
December	23	57	3	32	—	1	9	11
1967 January	49	133	7	89	5	13	8	10
February	47	171	8	130	1	12	7	12
March	44	155	9	106	1	25	3	12
April	79	184	5	111	5	34	6	24
May	81	227	15	145	4	27	15	20
June	56	195	16	105	1	18	46	9
July	60	164	24	86	1	14	21	18
August	50	142	5	81	7	12	17	21
September	104	379	7	199	1	11	153	7
October	79	600	8	198	1	13	338	42
November	52	321	2	137	2	18	143	19
December	31	115	1	33	1	4	66	9
1968 January	54	157	1	112	3	20	4	17
February	53	268	6	205	3	14	5	35
March	52	289	2	126	—	12	117	31
April	64	257	5	110	3	13	114	13
May	1,589	1,861	3	1,650	11	36	100	60
June	73	277	8	188	3	27	39	13
July	71	179	4	115	1	8	21	30
August	62	217	5	124	1	11	29	47
September	66	403	4	251	3	41	36	68
October	74	377	10	208	5	28	51	77
November	75	299	7	209	5	14	31	33
December	21	115	2	75	2	11	12	13
1969 January	142	363	10	197	3	9	121	23
February	145	481	2	387	5	23	27	37
March	73	658	3	598	2	19	14	21

(1) Stoppages involving fewer than 10 workpeople or lasting less than one day have been omitted except any in which the total number of working days lost exceeded 100. The figures for 1968 are provisional.

(2) The analysis by industries is based on the revised *Standard Industrial Classification 1958*.

(3) Where stoppages extend over more than one month, the workers involved are counted in the month in which they first participated.

(4) The figures of working days lost relate to the total working days lost within each of the periods shown as a result of stoppages *in progress* in that period, whether the stoppages began in that period or earlier.

Source: Department of Employment and Productivity

IV. SOCIAL SERVICES

National insurance and family allowances

TABLE 30 — Great Britain — Thousands

	National insurance							Family allowances	
	New claims for sickness benefit(1)	New claims for injury benefit(1)(2)	Insured persons absent from work owing to sickness (3) (4)	Insured persons absent from work owing to industrial injury (2) (3)	Current claims for unemployment benefit (3)	Retirement pensioners	Widows receiving pensions or widowed mothers' allowances (6) (7)	Families receiving allowances (8)	Children in families receiving allowances (8) (9)
	Weekly averages					At end of period		At end of period	
1963	179·5	16·3	976·5	64·2	363·5	5,983	597	3,717	9,848
1964	173·0	17·3	954·0	66·4	198·9	6,157	596	3,795	10,076
1965	183·9	18·4	995·5	73·7	167·0	6,359	594	3,870	10,293
1966	206·1	18·5	927(10)	73(10)	186·8	6,540	580	3,945	10,501
1967	193·2	18·8	945	76	333·1	6,770	568	4,038	10,741
1968	204·0	18·0	985	74	307·1	6,982	562		
1966 October ...	211·2	20·0	876	68	..	..	..	..	..
November ...	220·0*	19·6*	934	72	275·6	..	..	..	..
December ...	187·3*	16·8*	954	76	..	6,540	580	3,945	10,501
1967 January ...	248·6	19·7	1,015	74	..	..	..	..	..
February ...	214·8	20·6	1,010	79	381·9	..	..	..	..
March	185·9	19·5	995	85	..	6,585	575	..	..
April ...	191·1	19·0	944	75	..	..	..	..	..
May	177·9*	19·1*	927	74	335·5	..	..	4,023	10,713
June	171·5	18·7	904	74	..	6,644	574	..	..
July	153·2	18·1	879	73	296·8	..	..	..	..
August ...	145·2*	16·2*	860	74	..	..	..	..	..
September ...	175·8	19·0	889	71	..	6,718	572	3,985	10,585
October ...	206·9*	20·3*	947	75	..	..	..	..	..
November ...	216·0	19·8	963	78	318·0	..	..	..	..
December ...	234·1*	16·6*	997	75	..	6,770	568	4,038	10,741
1968 January ...	372·4	18·1	1,225	78	..	..	..	..	..
February ...	251·0	19·6	1,094	76	349·7	..	..	..	..
March	253·1	19·6	1,089	79	..	6,794	567	..	..
April ...	176·9*	16·3*	991	73	..	..	..	..	..
May	173·2	18·4	933	71	305·6	..	..	4,079	10,849
June	158·0	17·6	913	73	..	6,856	563	..	..
July	148·7*	17·1*	888	73	278·7	..	..		
August ...	153·5	16·3	888	71	..	..	..		
September ...	163·4	18·0	891	71	..	6,927	563		
October ...	208·5*	20·5*	938	76	..	..	..		
November ...	220·5	19·5	986	78	294·4	..	..		
December ...	191·5*	15·9*	978	74	..	6,982	562		
1969 January ...	288·2	17·7	1,100	71	..				
February ...	293·7	20·1	1,110	75	322·7				
March ...	329·3	18·5	1,224	81					

(1) Figures for individual months are averages of the four or five weeks ending on the last Tuesday of each month. (2) Including prescribed industrial disease. (3) Yearly figures are averages of twelve monthly figures. Monthly figures up to January 1966 relate to the third Tuesday of the month; later figures relate to the first Tuesday and are estimated by a new method following changes in the medical certification arrangements. (4) These figures include substantial numbers of persons who have been sick for a long time and who may no longer be in employment. (5) Yearly figures are averages of quarterly figures. Quarterly figures relate to first Monday in February, May and November and last Monday in July. (6) Including a diminishing number of widows with pensions of 30s. a week derived from the old Contributory Pensions Acts. About 77,000 such pensions were being paid in June 1966. (7) Before 5 August 1957 widow's pension was converted to retirement pension at age 60; since that date widow's pension continues to age 65 or date of retirement if earlier. (8) The yearly figures relate to the end of January in the following year up to 1963, and to the end of December from 1964. (9) Including the elder or eldest child for whom no allowance is payable. (10) Average of twelve months March 1966 to February 1967. Average of five weeks.

Source: Department of Health and Social Security

Supplementary benefits: Pensions and allowances

Great Britain

TABLE 31 — **At end of period** — Thousands

		Total number of supplementary benefits currently in payment	Supplementary pensions (persons over pension age)(1)			Supplementary allowances (persons under pension age)(1)				
			Retirement pensioners (2)	Widows receiving national insurance widows' pensions	Persons not in receipt of national insurance pension or benefit	Unemployed (including those not receiving national insurance benefit) (3)	Sick and disabled		Widows receiving national insurance widow's pension or benefit	Others (not in receipt of national insurance pension or benefit)
							With national insurance benefit (3)	Without national insurance benefit		
1966	December ...	2,495	1,577	54	187	179	156	142	59	141
1967	January ...	2,544	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	February ...	2,576	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	March ...	2,593	1,626	57	187	206	163	144	61	148
	April	2,599	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	May	2,605	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	June	2,610	1,650	59	185	191	164	145	63	154
	July	2,619	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	August ...	2,648	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	September ...	2,665	1,672	58	184	215	165	147	65	159
	October ...	2,558	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	November ...	2,559	1,557	56	183	229	160	149	64	161
	December ...	2,577	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1968	January	2,598	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	February ...	2,600	1,558	57	178	261	164	151	64	167
	March	2,595	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	April	2,584	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	May	2,577	1,565	56	175	237	161	151	63	168
	June	2,566	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	July	2,564	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	August	2,577	1,572	55	173	227	162	152	63	173
	September ...	2,574	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	October ...	2,602	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	November ...	2,637	1,620	56	171	225	169	154	65	177
	December ...	2,654	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1969	January	2,681	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	February ...	2,697	1,647	55	169	247	175	155	66	183
	March	2,708	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

(1) Pension age means 65 years for men and 60 years for women.
(2) Some of the supplementary pensions provide for the requirements of a household with more than one pensioner.
(3) Includes a small number of persons over pension age.

Source: Department of Health and Social Security

National health service

TABLE 32

England and Wales

Thousands

	Hospital services							Executive Council services			
	In-patient departments				Out-patient departments			Pharmaceutical services	Dental services	Ophthalmic services	
	Staffed beds at end of period	Average daily occupation of beds	Discharges and deaths	Patients on waiting lists at end of period	Total attendances (1)	Consultant departments	Accident and emergency departments	Prescriptions dispensed by chemists etc. (2)	Courses of treatment completed and emergency cases (3)	Sight tests paid for	Pairs of glasses paid for
1963	472·1	404·1	4,575	475·1	43,333	30,002	12,894	205,462	16,065	5,569	4,635
1964	472·0	400·3	4,725	499·0	44,745	30,845	13,436	209,375	17,068	5,950	4,961
1965	469·8	397·1	4,818	517·2	44,869	31,013	13,385	244,346	17,670	6,115	5,164
1966	468·3	392·6	4,898	536·4	45,247	31,359	13,410	261,954	18,430	6,213	5,250
1967	467·4	393·0	5,012	537·0	46,145	31,996	13,652	271,206	19,411	6,451	5,486
1968									20,066	6,633	5,688
1966 1st quarter ...	469·2	401·2	1,221	529·0	11,272	8,063	3,088	72,365	4,516	1,417	1,228
2nd quarter	469·2	394·2	1,221	537·4	11,487	7,836	3,531	61,793	4,815	1,546	1,312
3rd quarter...	468·5	384·1	1,215	529·1	11,448	7,743	3,586	59,795	4,432	1,509	1,262
4th quarter...	468·3	390·9	1,239	536·4	11,039	7,716	3,204	68,002	4,667	1,741	1,448
1967 1st quarter ...	468·3	403·1	1,227	536·9	11,325	8,077	3,129	68,837	4,899	1,562	1,340
2nd quarter	467·9	392·9	1,260	540·9	11,793	8,131	3,538	67,213	4,910	1,576	1,363
3rd quarter...	467·8	386·3	1,252	537·5	11,599	7,874	3,725	62,815	4,666	1,506	1,270
4th quarter...	467·4	389·8	1,273	537·0	11,428	7,914	3,018	72,340	4,936	1,807	1,513
1968 1st quarter...	466·2	392·4	1,281	543·9	11,612	8,326	3,155	76,788	5,058	1,585	1,362
2nd quarter...	466·4	385·8	1,281	542·2	11,723	8,046	3,552	66,234	5,177	1,669	1,432
3rd quarter...	465·8	381·0	1,277	535·7	11,868	7,993	3,749	57,841	4,762	1,563	1,357
4th quarter...								66,514	5,069	1,816	1,537

(1) Includes general practitioner departments.
(2) Includes drug stores and appliance contractors.
(3) Number scheduled for payment.

Scotland

Thousands

	Hospital services					Executive Council services			
	In-patient departments				Out-patient departments	Pharmaceutical services	Dental services	Ophthalmic services	
	Staffed beds at end of period (4)	Average daily occupation of beds	Discharges and deaths	Patients on waiting lists at end of period (4)	Total attendances (4) (5)	Prescriptions dispensed by chemists	Courses of treatment completed and emergency cases	Sight tests given	Pairs of glasses supplied
1963	63·4	53·4	612	44·6	7,633	21,531	1,591	522	498
1964	63·5	53·3	623	49·6	7,788	21,952	1,671	546	522
1965	63·7	54·0	637	49·9	7,983	25,621	1,683	549	528
1966	63·3	53·1	641	52·7	7,966	27,528	1,860	555	531
1967	63·7	53·6	657	52·1	8,180	28,205	1,831	571	549
1968	64·2	54·0	679	52·7	8,357	28,498	1,833	579	557
1966 2nd quarter ...	63·3	52·5	324	52·7	3,984	6,459	446	139	135
3rd quarter ...						6,196	433	135	125
4th quarter ...	62·8(6)	53·0	324	55·4	4,097	7,250	567	149	150
1967 1st quarter ...						7,150	453	145	133
2nd quarter ...	62·6(6)	53·6	332	52·1	4,083	7,001	484	139	140
3rd quarter ...						6,522	427	136	126
4th quarter ...	62·9(6)	54·1	337	54·3	4,153	7,532	467	151	150
1968 1st quarter ...						8,098	453	144	135
2nd quarter ...						7,093	479	143	141
3rd quarter ...	63·1(6)	53·6	343	52·7	4,204	6,137	433	138	127
4th quarter ...						7,170	468	154	154

(4) Annual figures at 30 September.
(5) At out-patient, accident and emergency, and ancillary departments.
(6) Excludes beds temporarily out of use.

Sources: Department of Health and Social Security
Scottish Home and Health Department

TABLE 33

Crops and grass: Area and harvest(1)

	Area at the June census				Estimated quantity harvested			
	1965	1966	1967	1968	1965	1966	1967	1968
	Thousand acres				Thousand tons			
Arable land	18,523	18,484	18,325	18,241				
Crops and fallow: Total	11,950	12,204	12,354	12,368				
Wheat: grain	2,535	2,238	2,305	2,417	4,105	3,420	3,841	3,515
straw					1,901	1,696	1,931	
Barley: grain	5,395	6,130	6,027	5,933	8,062	8,586	9,069	8,274
straw					4,036	4,425	4,682	
Oats: grain	1,014	907	1,012	945	1,213	1,102	1,364	1,212
straw					1,095	951	1,062	
Mixed corn for threshing	73	73	8[8]	112	91	93	117	151
Rye (threshed)	18	10	11	11	21	11	12	11
Potatoes	741	669	708	691	7,458	6,476	7,087	6,767
Sugar beet	455	446	457	465	6,705	6,495	6,775	
Fodder crops:								
Beans and peas	85	103	140(2)	229(2)	..	..	170(2)	221(2)
Turnips, swedes and fodder beet	331	301	289	269	6,508	5,770	5,768	5,429
Mangolds	59	42	36	31	1,511	1,041	897	803
Other	367	328	309	293	5,880	5,076	4,646	4,419
Hops	21	20	19	18	13	11	11	
Mustard	19	17	19	22				
Fruit	245	237	227	220	823	655	..	..
Vegetables:(3)								
Total	370	368	409	442	2,744	2,961	..	..
Carrots	24	29	30	35	345	477	493	557
Onions	7	7	8	11	83	86	96	122
Cabbage, savoys, kale, etc.	42	39	40	44	597	644	619	652
Brussels sprouts	43	39	45	49	184	174	183	213
Peas (harvested dry)	34	35	40	50	46	44	64(4)	51
Peas (green for market)(5)	18	16	17	18	61	51	65	63
Peas (green for canning and quick-freezing)(6)	83	87	101	109	137	172	173	180
Beans (broad, runner and French)	27	26	29	30	110	107	132	108
Tomatoes	2	2	2	2	80	81	85	83
Other vegetables	90	88	97	94	1,101	1,125	..	..
Hardy nursery stock				14				
Bulbs	34	34	34	14				
Flowers (not under glass)				6				
Other crops	21	18	34	36	35	39	54	
Bare fallow	167	262	229	199				
Lucerne(7)(8)	54	47	37		68	89	65	..
Temporary grassland(9)	6,518	6,233	5,934	5,873(10)				
For mowing(8)	3,150	2,941	2,852	2,824	4,646(11)	4,676(11)	4,705(11)	4,608(11)
For grazing	3,368	3,292	3,082	3,049				(12)
Permanent grassland: Total	12,138	12,199	12,328	12,195(13)				
For mowing(8)	3,078	3,018	2,998	2,872	3,822	3,880	3,933	3,787
For grazing	9,060	9,181	9,330	9,323				
Rough grazings (including common rough grazings)(14)	17,830	17,718	17,639	17,537				

(1) Excluding agricultural holdings of one acre or less in extent in Great Britain. In Northern Ireland excluding holdings of less than one acre. (2) Beans only. (3) Gross production figures are shown. (4) Includes some production diverted from green peas. (5) Weight in pod. (6) Shelled weight. (7) England and Wales only. (8) Production figures relate to hay only. The production of hay in England and Wales is calculated from the area cut for hay and actually harvested and does not include the area mown for silage, drying or seed; the production of hay in Scotland and Northern Ireland is calculated from the area cut for hay only and does not include grass mown for silage or drying. (9) Clover and rotation grasses. (10) Includes Lucerne (45,000 acres). (11) Includes hay from permanent grass in Scotland. (12) Includes hay from Lucerne (13) Excludes some 47,000 holdings in England and Wales which make a negligible contribution to agricultural output. This affects comparison with permanent grassland acreage figures in previous years. (14) Includes the total area of deer forest land in Scotland.

Sources: Agricultural Departments

Cattle and sheep on agricultural holdings

TABLE 34

Thousands

	Cattle								Sheep				
						Other cattle						Other sheep	
	Total	Cows and heifers in milk	Cows in calf but not in milk	Heifers in calf with first calf	Bulls and bull calves for service	Two years old and over	One year and under two	Under one year	Total	Ewes for breeding	Rams for service	One year old and over	Under one year
1957 June	10,881	3,331	560	834	117	1,485	2,215	2,338	24,796	9,840	295	3,279	11,382
1958 June	10,956	3,330	554	764	111	1,351	2,289	2,556	26,105	10,322	317	3,635	11,831
1959 June	11,291	3,297	552	816	112	1,317	2,461	2,735	27,612	10,735	320	4,020	12,537
1960 June	11,771	3,451	562	823	110	1,314	2,675	2,836	27,871	11,232	322	3,800	12,517
1961 June	11,936	3,577	577	827	109	1,329	2,744	2,772	28,967	11,505	332	3,645	13,485
1962 June	11,859	3,681	587	802	103	1,196	2,621	2,869	29,498	11,829	344	3,689	13,637
1963 June	11,716	3,673	587	742	97	1,095	2,598	2,923	29,344	11,832	345	3,663	13,504
1964 June	11,627	3,549	577	798	91	1,048	2,526	3,038	29,657	11,918	334	3,530	13,875
December	11,686	2,862	1,396	604	92	1,050	2,495	3,187	21,269	11,137	365	2,963	6,804
1965 June	11,943	3,640	564	760	93	978	2,524	3,383	29,911	11,946	336	3,738	13,891
December	11,995	2,879	1,444	618	94	951	2,537	3,472	21,818	11,159	371	3,232	7,055
1966 June	12,206	3,703	565	750	93	957	2,692	3,447	29,957	12,019	344	3,737	13,857
December	12,171	2,897	1,478	655	94	995	2,655	3,397	21,053	10,932	367	3,133	6,620
1967 June	12,342	3,776	579	816	92	1,003	2,714	3,361	28,885	11,760	332	3,583	13,211
December	11,997	2,964	1,480	641	93	942	2,527	3,349	20,424	10,818	363	3,038	6,206
1968 June	12,151	3,815	562	826	90	923	2,581	3,351	28,004	11,415	327	3,475	12,787
December	12,105	3,054	1,482	673	93	919	2,497	3,387	19,667	10,513	352	2,991	5,811

Sources: Agricultural Departments

Pigs and poultry on agricultural holdings

TABLE 35

Thousands

	Pigs						Poultry				
				Other pigs				Fowls			
	Total	Sows for breeding	Boars being used for service	Five months old and over	Two months and under five	Under two months	Total(1)	Total	Six months and over(2)		Under six months (2)
									Laying flock	Breeding flock	Table birds
1957 June	5,974	743	43	1,123	2,547	1,518	94,868	90,789	42,752		48,037
1958 June	6,485	802	47	1,160	2,791	1,686	99,724	95,887	43,682		52,205
1959 June	5,984	705	41	1,109	2,657	1,471	106,605	102,263	46,454		55,808
1960 June	5,724	725	40	1,018	2,449	1,491	103,005	98,360	44,268		54,092
1961 June	6,043	774	43	1,042	2,591	1,594	114,289	108,398	44,620		63,778
1962 June	6,722	857	46	1,124	2,902	1,793	109,030	104,032	47,745		56,287
1963 June	6,859	876	47	1,132	3,050	1,754	112,175	106,842	47,807		59,035
1964 June	7,379	903	47	1,221	3,271	1,937	118,377	112,921	79,872	5,868	27,181
December	7,940	944	49	1,306	3,625	2,015	111,493	106,691	73,194	5,907	27,589
1965 June	7,979	945	49	1,251	3,594	2,140	118,141	112,125	74,054	6,857	31,213
December	8,125	900	48	1,325	3,849	2,005	112,594	106,956	71,050	6,222	29,684
1966 June	7,333	822	43	1,179	3,392	1,897	118,940	113,525	73,841	6,908	32,777
December	7,284	808	42	1,237	3,397	1,802	117,982	112,864	72,202	6,501	34,161
1967 June	7,107	824	41	1,146	3,218	1,878	125,624	120,147	75,506	6,868	37,774
December	7,632	862	43	1,273	3,523	1,932	122,857	116,875	72,774	6,582	37,419
1968 June	7,387	887	44	1,149	3,309	1,998	127,459	121,753	74,163	6,868	40,721
December	7,987	919	45	1,295	3,687	2,041	126,256	119,340	73,228	6,541	39,571

(1) Fowls, ducks, geese and turkeys.
(2) In Northern Ireland returns relate to fowls of five months and over, and under five months.

Sources: Agricultural Departments

Cereals and cereal products

TABLE 36 — Monthly averages or totals for four or five week periods — Stocks: end of period — Thousand tons

	Wheat and flour						Oats				Barley			Breakfast cereals(1)	Biscui
	Sales of home grown wheat for food (2)	Wheat milled: Home produced	Wheat milled: Imported	Stocks (3)	Flour produced	Flour disposals	Sales of home grown oats for milling	Oats milled	Products of oat-milling	Stocks	Sales of home grown barley for food (4)	Disposals for food and brewing	Stocks	Production	
1964	151	136	278	1,148	299	321	9	10	5·8	48	114	116	830	11·3	47·5
1965(5)	138	134	288	1,138	306	327	9	11	6·3	37	118	128	814	11·3	48·8
1966	140	134	288	1,085	304	322	9	10	5·8	44	188	196	769	12·0	48·4
1967	145	132	282	957	304	312	9	9	5·5	54	183	190	774	12·1	49·0
1968	148	139	273	1,019	302	311	9	10	5·7	45	152	162	649	12·8	50·1
1966 *April ...	171	148	326	1,207	341	359	2	7	3·8	40	149	233	636	13·4	56·0
May ...	149	125	272	1,205	285	308	3	5	3·0	38	112	199	553	12·6	47·1
June ...	162	125	290	1,217	296	302	2	7	4·2	37	95	172	515	12·4	45·5
*July ...	49	129	321	1,166	324	347	3	7	4·1	26	86	155	371	14·7	49·0
August ...	103	101	259	1,204	260	289		10	5·7	25	153	121	460	11·3	43·5
September	186	139	262	1,205	287	298	1	12	7·0	36	397	169	745	12·1	49·3
*October...	209	191	324	1,190	372	380	23	14	8·6	47	269	225	788	15·1	63·2
November	101	140	263	1,110	291	304	10	13	7·7	46	224	211	789	10·6	48·9
December	128	121	267	1,085	284	322	10	12	7·3	44	192	204	769	7·7	38·6
1967 *January ...	192	158	317	1,150	346	329	9	14	8·2	39	298	304	771	12·4	55·0
February	153	119	246	1,177	267	278	4	8	5·4	35	277	296	743	11·1	44·2
March ...	152	113	245	1,190	262	280	3	7	3·5	40	214	253	666	10·2	44·7
*April ...	200	166	349	1,165	377	376	5	7	4·3	39	183	237	612	16·1	57·8
May ...	145	121	263	1,159	281	292	4	7	3·8	34	91	195	532	12·4	47·5
June ...	118	123	273	1,146	291	303	2	7	4·1	34	48	113	486	13·0	46·8
*July ...	35	126	323	1,055	330	343	2	8	4·8	23	39	112	363	15·0	51·4
August ...	116	97	260	1,090	262	282	11	8	4·5	30	192	97	526	11·5	43·0
September	200	131	277	1,110	300	305	26	11	5·6	49	371	189	758	11·8	47·8
*October	195	170	319	1,060	361	366	23	12	7·6	63	188	168	778	13·7	61·5
November	104	138	263	984	294	306	8	12	7·7	60	145	148	807	10·7	50·
December	127	121	250	957	273	286	8	12	6·7	54	152	172	774	7·4	38·
1968 *January ...	187	175	326	1,007	371	367	9	14	8·7	48	202	206	775	13·6	54·6
February	194	139	246	1,099	287	291	10	10	5·9	47	211	248	760	12·9	46·8
March ...	160	138	233	1,190	274	279	7	8	4·3	45	187	227	698	12·7	45·7
*April ...	221	159	284	1,203	328	344	6	8	4·5	42	157	219	617	15·0	57·5
May ...	158	141	238	1,194	280	294	3	5	3·6	40	116	175	562	13·1	48·8
June ...	156	148	238	1,196	284	293	2	7	4·2	36	85	155	550	12·1	47·9
*July ...	80	162	294	1,054	338	351	3	9	4·9	26	72	138	404	12·5	53·1
August ...	58	112	262	990	275	287	6	8	5·5	22	132	94	443	12·3	43·6
September	177	114	262	1,025	275	285	29	11	6·5	45	289	111	650	13·3	48·1
* October...	181	167	330	1,083	359	363	17	14	7·7	50	149	135	644	14·8	64·6
November	109	125	283	1,027	294	301	10	10	5·8	49	126	117	683	12·1	51·1
December	94	90	276	1,019	263	272	8	11	7·0	45	97	121	649	9·4	39·0
1969 *January ...	151	141	368	1,006	368	372	10	12	7·0	42	127	141	652	15·1	
February	141	102	289	1,074	281	286	4	9	5·3	35	110	124	668	12·4	
March ...															

(1) Other than oatmeal and oatmeal flakes.
(2) Flour millers' receipts of home grown wheat.
(3) Wheat, including flour in terms of wheat, held by certain food processors.
(4) Including quantities used for brewing, malting and distilling.
(5) 53 week period.
* Five week period.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

Animal feedingstuffs

TABLE 37 — Monthly averages or totals for four or five week periods — Stocks: end of period — Thousand tons

	Maize				Oilcake and meal(1)						Wheat milling offals		
	Disposals			Stocks	Production	Disposals			Stocks			Production	Disposals	Stocks
	Total (2)	For animal feed(2)	Other (3)			Total	High and medium protein	Low protein	Total	High and medium protein	Low protein			
1964	296	215	81	215	48	134	120	14	152	130	22	116	139	26
1965(4) ...	274	188	86	171	47	140	128	12	173	154	19	118	123	46
1966	272	180	92	183	38	127	116	11	140	123	17	120	126	29
1967	310	223	87	206	34	113	104	9	126	116	10	111	117	33
1968	310	214	95	238	30	109	104	5	157	142	15	111	117	22
1967 *July ...	331	243	88	213	27	80	73	7	135	122	13	121	140	29
August	277	207	70	164	27	104	97	7	131	118	13	97	109	25
Sept. ...	246	157	89	186	32	102	94	8	131	120	11	107	111	27
*October	300	212	88	174	37	118	110	8	115	103	12	129	131	28
Nov. ...	399	306	93	157	35	122	113	9	118	107	11	107	109	30
Dec. ...	320	238	82	206	32	135	129	6	126	116	10	97	100	33
1968 *Jan. ...	397	284	113	257	45	140	132	8	132	123	9	134	143	35
Feb. ...	372	290	82	265	34	137	131	6	126	116	10	102	104	37
March...	323	230	93	231	30	122	113	9	126	118	8	98	109	29
*April ...	232	125	107	203	30	119	115	4	129	120	9	118	130	24
May ...	325	241	84	192	26	78	74	4	143	133	10	100	92	37
June ...	263	179	84	215	26	65	61	4	163	150	13	104	102	41
*July ...	265	171	94	189	24	80	75	5	162	148	14	122	124	41
August	344	250	94	185	29	87	84	3	176	160	16	100	108	34
Sept.	190	92	98	194	22	96	89	7	169	154	15	103	108	31
*October	343	235	108	189	36	130	125	5	170	153	17	139	142	35
Nov. ...	333	228	105	183	32	115	111	4	165	147	18	114	126	33
Dec. ...	328	245	83	238	31	140	133	7	157	142	15	102	117	22
1969* January	413	289	124	240	39	130	123	7	136	125	11	145	148	22
February	200	95	105	175	32	118	111	7	119	107	12	113	119	24
March ...														

(1) Excluding castor meal, cocoa cake and meal. (2) Including maize meal.
(3) Disposals for food and industrial uses. (4) 53 week period. * Five week period.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

Production of compound feedingstuffs

TABLE 38 — Monthly averages — Thousand tons

	Total	Cattle food	Calf food	Pig food	Poultry food	Other compounds
1964	776·4	224·8	32·3	170·2	335·3	13·8
1965(1)	811·8	242·2	34·7	184·8	335·9	14·2
1966	778·7	242·4	32·2	161·2	328·2	14·7
1967	805·4	259·1	31·0	163·1	338·0	14·2
1968	813·9	264·8	31·1	173·1	330·4	14·5
1966 1st quarter	869·4	313·3	40·3	170·3	318·7	26·8
2nd quarter	726·7	199·7	29·2	158·7	325·3	13·8
3rd quarter	697·3	175·2	24·1	157·6	332·7	7·7
4th quarter	821·2	281·3	35·3	158·0	336·0	10·6
1967 1st quarter	850·7	322·6	36·6	151·1	314·6	25·8
2nd quarter	739·4	206·9	28·2	156·2	336·0	12·1
3rd quarter	733·5	192·5	24·0	166·6	343·0	7·4
4th quarter	898·1	314·5	35·2	178·5	358·6	11·3
1968 1st quarter	908·1	347·5	37·4	172·5	325·4	25·3
2nd quarter	748·5	214·1	28·8	164·8	327·5	13·3
3rd quarter	716·6	186·6	23·6	169·6	328·8	8·0
4th quarter	882·5	311·1	34·6	185·6	339·8	11·4

(1) 53 week period.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

Potatoes, sugar and jam

TABLE 39 — Monthly averages, calender months or totals for four or five week periods Stocks: end of period — Thousand tons

	Potatoes(1)					Sugar(2)				Syrup and treacle	Glucose	Jam and marmalade		
	Sales from farms (3)	Disposals		Stocks		Production from home grown sugar beet	Disposals		Stocks (4)	Production	Production	Production	Disposals	Stock
		Total (4)	For food in the United Kingdom	Merchants' stocks	Farm stocks (Ware)		Total	For food in the United Kingdom (5)						
1964	383	408	403	38	2,626	67·1	248·6	211·8	850	4·3	19·1	16·5	17·6	33·4
1965(7) ...	406	430	402	35	3,025	73·4	246·1	222·1	813	4·4	20·6	16·9	17·5	32·0
1966	426	449	408	35	2,095	70·7	244·6	219·1	820	4·4	21·2	17·0	17·2	36·8
1967	370	401	400	33	2,907	73·7	243·1	217·0	851	5·0	22·2	16·8	17·2	36·6
1968	403	433	409	23	2,587	70·7	234·7	217·8	816	5·7	23·6	16·6	16·8	36·3
1966 April ...	455	480	390	32	518	—	254·3*	230·6*	762	4·4*	23·0*	19·0*	20·4*	34·1
May ...	282	376	365	21	224	—	233·6	215·1	695	4·2	21·0	16·3	17·1	33·4
June ...	250	369	365	6	106	—	248·3	225·4	607	3·9	21·3	17·1	17·7	33·4
July ...	364	376	376	13	—	—	270·7*	246·7*	536	4·0*	21·4*	19·9*	18·5*	32·2
August	396	397	397	12	—	—	216·6	190·9	489	3·7	19·8	13·9	15·3	34·6
Sept. ...	420	413	412	19	—	22·1	232·9	207·8	456	4·3	21·5	15·3	16·2	34·4
October	476	471	464	24	3,186	234·6*	282·4*	244·9*	625	6·3*	24·4*	18·2*	18·5*	34·3
Nov. ...	461	451	443	34	2,586	208·7	244·4	210·6	727	4·8	21·0	15·8	14·9	35·6
Dec. ...	428	429	425	35	2,095	197·6	238·4	208·9	820	3·9	18·3	14·2	13·3	36·8
1967 January	428	426	423	40	1,605	181·3*	235·5*	206·6*	957	4·7*	22·8*	19·7*	20·4*	36·7
February	386	397	394	35	1,140	2·4	238·4	210·0	881	4·1	19·4	16·6	16·1	38·4
March ...	395	423	422	24	696	—	256·5	228·5	784	4·2	19·1	15·1	15·8	38·1
April ...	370	391	391	32	309	—	270·8*	236·5*	778	5·4*	26·5*	21·3*	20·6*	39·0
May ...	241	388	388	14	53	—	229·0	202·6	676	4·5	22·6	14·8	16·6	37·5
June ...	148	317	317	7	5	—	250·0	224·3	591	4·2	21·3	16·1	17·4	36·8
July ...	314	335	335	10	—	—	278·5*	238·8*	534	5·2*	22·2*	19·2*	19·2*	36·8
August	383	382	382	13	—	—	214·8	184·6	480	4·3	20·1	13·3	15·6	35·0
Sept. ...	416	410	409	19	—	24·3	237·2	207·2	446	5·9	23·4	15·3	16·1	34·5
October	475	471	468	23	4,007	252·4*	276·7*	260·8*	565	7·4*	25·1*	18·7*	19·5*	34·0
Nov. ...	461	455	449	29	3,436	218·6	217·8	203·3	707	5·8	23·6	15·9	16·0	34·8
Dec. ...	418	417	416	33	2,907	205·1	212·3	200·6	851	4·7	19·7	15·2	13·7	36·6
1968 January	462	471	441	28	2,322	172·9*	241·6*	225·1*	987	6·4*	25·3*	20·7*	22·3*	35·4
February	462	470	403	29	1,754	—	216·2	201·2	950	5·9	22·0	17·6	17·1	36·5
March ...	497	509	421	40	1,171	—	232·1	212·0	876	5·6	22·3	17·5	16·5	38·4
April ...	389	445	393	29	752	—	260·5*	243·2*	809	5·6*	24·7*	18·7*	19·1*	38·2
May ...	276	409	390	16	447	—	239·3	220·6	740	5·2	23·6	17·2	17·3	38·5
June ...	186	318	312	6	349	—	226·0	210·3	668	5·1	20·9	14·1	15·0	38·2
July ...	340	363	362	12	—	—	281·0*	260·4*	559	5·5*	24·0*	19·6*	19·1*	38·8
August	389	385	385	16	—	—	211·5	193·9	434	4·4	21·0	13·7	15·6	36·1
Sept. ...	432	417	417	22	—	19·9	228·1	210·9	362	4·9	25·7	13·9	14·7	35·2
October	499	504	501	17	3,793	235·3*	254·7*	237·8*	550	7·6*	29·0*	18·4*	18·4*	35·7
Nov. ...	464	459	454	23	3,207	215·6	217·3	202·5	670	6·2	24·8	15·0	14·4	36·6
Dec. ...	443	444	430	23	2,587	204·8	208·0	195·7	816	5·6	19·7	13·0	11·8	36·3
1969 January	456	438	423	43	2,030	196·7*				7·0*	28·3*	20·2*	21·1*	36·1
February	426	450	423	28	1,370	10·0				6·0	23·5	16·8	17·4	35·9
March ...														

(1) Based on returns from Potato Marketing Board and Ministry of Agriculture, Northern Ireland.
(2) As refined sugar.
(3) Including quantities processed and fed to livestock under schemes for implementing the Agriculture Act, 1947, and seed sold for food.
(4) Disposals (excluding seed and chats) of home grown and imported potatoes for human consumption, processing, export and sales for stockfeed through schemes for implementing the Agriculture Act, 1947.
(5) Including sugar used in the manufacture of other foods.
(6) Imported and home produced supplies of refined and raw sugar. Supplies held by the British Sugar Corporation and by refiners in the United Kingdom are included.
(7) 53 week period (except for potatoes).
*Five week period.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture Fisheries and Food

Animals slaughtered and meat produced

TABLE 40 — Monthly averages or totals for four or five week periods

	Animals slaughtered(1) (Thousands)									Meat produced (Thousand tons)					
							Pigs								
	Steers and heifers	Cows and bulls	Calves	Ewes and rams	Other sheep and lambs	Sows and boars	Used wholly for bacon	Used in part for bacon	Other	Total	Beef	Veal	Mutton and lamb	Pork	Offal
1964	223	57	41	109	946	30	273	147	618	152·2	70·9	0·9	21·0	46·4	13·0
1965(2) ...	217	49	32	102	914	31	296	158	710	153·5	67·5	0·7	20·1	52·3	12·9
1966	225	54	42	136	994	33	243	171	633	156·9	70·2	0·9	22·2	50·3	13·3
1967	245	54	51	120	978	26	212	218	561	156·2	74·4	1·1	21·5	45·8	13·3
1968	234	60	40	119	913	26	224	253	578	154·9	73·4	0·9	20·2	47·3	13·1
1968 *January	275	92	46	138	1,015	32	251	259	665	186·4	92·4	1·0	22·8	54·5	15·7
February	223	76	46	104	654	25	210	219	547	149·3	75·3	1·0	16·0	44·5	12·5
March...	218	67	50	91	531	25	217	228	541	143·4	71·7	1·1	13·8	44·9	11·9
*April ...	273	62	44	113	657	28	252	284	644	169·7	83·9	1·0	17·3	53·4	14·1
May ...	214	42	28	90	614	23	205	232	506	132·5	63·8	0·6	14·7	42·3	11·1
June ...	193	37	21	92	709	23	207	233	452	122·7	57·3	0·5	16·0	38·4	10·5
*July ...	250	43	33	123	1,064	27	259	316	593	160·3	72·8	0·7	23·1	49·9	13·8
August	216	40	35	114	998	23	215	247	505	139·8	63·7	0·8	21·2	42·0	12·1
Sept. ...	228	51	44	131	1,168	23	214	244	534	152·2	69·6	1·0	24·4	44·0	13·2
*Oct. ...	286	76	53	173	1,472	31	262	315	690	194·5	89·8	1·2	30·3	56·4	16·8
Nov. ...	234	72	42	143	1,175	29	210	241	599	162·3	75·9	0·9	24·0	47·6	13·9
Dec. ...	202	58	35	116	904	29	183	216	665	145·7	64·6	0·8	18·9	49·4	12·0
1969* January	260	81	47	146	1,047	37	266	308	673	181·3	85·9	1·0	23·2	55·8	15·4
February	204	60	43	92	619	32	209	237	576	139·7	66·4	1·0	13·9	46·9	11·5
March...															

(1) Including imported fatstock. (2) 53 week period. * Five week period.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

Production of bacon, ham and canned meat and imported meat stocks in cold storage

TABLE 41 — Monthly averages or totals for four or five week periods Stocks: end of period — Thousand tons

	Bacon and ham			Canned meat	Imported meat stocks in cold storage					
	Production(1)									
	Wiltshire style	Other bacon	Disposals(2)	Production	Total	Beef	Veal	Mutton and lamb	Pork	Offal
1964...	13·3	4·9	50·8	6·7	74·3	41·1	1·5	19·0	1·5	11·2
1965(3)	14·1	5·3	52·5	7·2	74·8	31·1	0·6	26·6	1·5	15·0
1966...	12·3	5·6	51·0	8·7	72·9	35·8	0·3	17·5	1·8	17·5
1967...	10·9	5·9	50·2	9·4	44·3	13·0	0·2	13·3	1·7	16·1
1968...	11·8	6·2	51·8	10·6	54·2	24·2	0·1	14·2	1·2	14·5
1967 October ...	13·7*	6·9*	57·9*	10·1	50·7	14·7	0·1	20·1	3·4	12·4
November ...	10·3	5·3	48·6		39·7	11·5	0·2	12·5	2·4	13·1
December ...	9·9	5·1	42·4		44·3	13·0	0·2	13·3	1·7	16·1
1968 January ...	12·1*	5·9*	57·8*	11·1	43·7	11·9	0·3	13·6	2·0	15·9
February ...	11·0	5·4	47·9		50·5	11·1	0·3	21·9	1·9	15·3
March ...	11·2	5·5	44·7		55·8	8·8	0·3	31·3	1·8	13·6
April ...	13·4*	6·9*	56·9*	10·2	58·1	10·4	0·3	31·6	2·1	13·7
May ...	10·7	6·1	52·4		59·8	12·2	0·3	30·5	2·3	14·5
June... ...	11·0	5·8	45·8		65·1	14·0	0·2	33·6	2·1	15·2
July	13·8*	8·0*	65·4*	9·2	68·3	17·5	0·2	32·4	1·9	16·3
August ...	11·3	6·1	49·0		67·3	17·9	0·1	30·6	2·0	16·7
September ...	11·2	5·8	48·2		56·7	16·1	0·1	22·2	2·1	16·2
October ...	13·8*	7·5*	62·9*	11·9	56·5	20·8	0·1	17·1	3·0	15·5
November ...	10·6	5·8	46·3		58·1	23·1	0·1	17·8	2·2	14·9
December ...	11·1	5·7	44·8		54·2	24·2	0·1	14·2	1·2	14·5
1969 January ...	12·8*	6·4*	55·0*		47·2	22·8	0·1	11·1	1·0	12·2
February ...	11·0	5·8	46·0		49·0	22·1	0·1	15·4	1·0	10·4
March ...	12·1	6·2	48·0		63·0	21·3	0·2	31·6	1·0	8·9

(1) In 1965 and previously, certain Wiltshire style bacon (mostly tank cured cuts) was included under 'Other bacon'.
(2) Including disposals for canning.
(3) 53 week period (except for canned meat). * Five week period.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

Fish, oils and fats

TABLE 42 — Monthly averages, calendar months or totals for four or five week periods. Stocks: end of period — Thousand tons

	Fresh, frozen and cured fish				Oilseeds and nuts					Vegetable oil (1)		Marine oil (1)		Margarine	Compound fat
		Disposals					Stocks(3)								
	British landings	Total (landed weight)	For food in the United Kingdom: Landed weight	For food in the United Kingdom: Filleted weight	Crushed	Crude oil produced (2)	Crude oil equivalent	Cake equivalent: High and medium protein	Cake equivalent: Low protein	Disposals	Stocks (4)	Disposals (5)	Stocks (6)	Production	
1964	66·4	77·6	69·5	36·1	74·0	25·2	24·4	54·3	5·3	53·0	56·5	12·6	47·0	29·3	12·2
1965(7)	72·6	82·8	70·9	36·9	72·0	23·8	27·0	56·4	9·8	52·5	67·4	14·8	53·3	26·2	11·5
1966	74·1	84·8	69·0	35·9	60·7	20·9	32·3	28·3	12·2	55·2	66·3	16·7	28·2	25·9	11·4
1967	69·6	78·9	68·8	35·8	55·0	19·2	17·1	37·9	2·4	52·5	65·5	18·6	67·8	25·3	11·4
1968	70·2	82·4	69·7	36·2	49·7	17·8	18·3	44·3	3·5	57·6	60·7	18·3	59·3	24·8	11·1
1966 April ...	71·3				65·7*	21·1*	18·5	25·1	8·6	55·2*	76·2	18·6*	33·5	29·8*	12·6
May ...	61·7	76·9	60·7	31·6	53·5	18·4	22·2	26·9	11·7	56·3	74·9	15·1	34·8	25·0	10·6
June... ...	70·5				58·8	20·9	23·8	32·0	10·7	56·6	77·9	12·3	28·8	23·8	11·2
July	66·8				50·6*	17·8*	27·1	39·4	12·8	53·0*	84·4	14·9*	29·8	23·6*	11·1
August ...	76·7	81·9	75·2	39·1	48·7	16·3	31·1	45·2	14·3	57·5	85·1	15·5	29·8	22·0	10·8
September ...	64·0				59·0	21·2	29·1	35·3	13·5	53·2	79·1	17·3	37·4	25·0	11·8
October ...	69·7				64·7*	23·9*	31·8	29·3	14·8	58·3*	78·5	21·3*	32·2	29·5*	13·4
November ...	72·2	82·3	70·9	36·9	55·3	21·0	28·7	43·7	9·5	48·7	70·0	19·6	30·9	27·6	11·2
December ...	77·5				51·4	18·1	32·3	28·3	12·2	52·0	66·3	16·8	28·2	24·4	10·1
1967 January ...	75·8				75·2*	26·9*	21·0	30·7	9·5	53·5*	68·9	18·8*	34·0	26·5*	11·4
February ...	70·4	77·0	62·1	32·3	58·1	21·2	16·9	24·0	8·9	54·1	66·2	16·6	30·0	23·9	10·0
March ...	65·1				48·5	17·8	20·2	31·0	7·4	54·7	63·3	16·9	33·6	25·1	10·1
April ...	58·8				66·1*	22·4*	11·4	17·8	4·4	54·0*	63·6	23·1*	21·7	32·0*	13·5
May	67·3	76·5	70·6	36·7	41·1	13·6	19·1	25·4	7·0	53·8	62·0	17·1	30·5	24·6	9·6
June... ...	73·2				57·3	20·2	16·0	25·3	5·0	50·2	65·6	17·4	28·0	22·5	11·7
July	66·6				45·5*	15·2*	18·8	32·7	5·0	50·4*	67·2	17·6*	35·2	23·3*	11·2
August ...	79·9	81·3	74·0	38·5	43·8	14·7	18·3	32·0	4·4	49·4	73·1	15·9	44·9	20·9	9·6
September ...	68·3				52·6	17·9	17·2	22·8	5·2	55·6	72·0	19·5	52·9	25·5	12·5
October ...	57·7				61·8*	22·3*	12·1	22·3	2·0	50·4*	64·9	23·6*	67·2	30·9*	14·5
November ...	75·9	80·9	68·4	35·6	55·7	18·8	14·7	25·9	2·4	56·8	64·5	19·4	68·2	26·0	11·5
December ...	75·9				54·0	19·0	17·1	37·9	2·4	47·3	65·5	17·4	67·8	22·9	10·9
1968 January ...	81·2				73·3*	25·1*	20·2	36·1	5·7	56·8*	61·1	20·0*	64·5	26·8*	13·0
February ...	78·5	86·1	68·2	35·4	54·4	18·8	19·3	29·3	6·4	54·4	61·2	18·9	58·5	25·7	10·9
March ...	64·5				48·9	17·5	19·4	28·3	4·1	65·0	57·4	19·8	48·9	24·7	12·0
April ...	65·6				52·8*	17·9*	16·6	19·1	4·7	51·1*	60·5	21·6*	43·2	28·5*	12·1
May	68·4	76·1	64·9	33·8	44·1	17·8	22·8	32·5	6·8	62·4	61·1	18·3	34·1	22·9	10·8
June... ...	67·8				45·4	17·2	18·9	21·8	9·0	52·9	67·6	17·3	35·8	21·4	10·3
July	76·5				41·0*	16·1*	19·1	21·4	9·8	60·1*	64·2	16·9*	41·1	23·8*	10·0
August ...	69·0	82·6	73·2	38·1	45·5	16·8	19·8	25·2	7·5	51·9	72·9	16·7	35·0	22·5	9·4
September ...	62·3				36·2	13·7	20·3	25·4	7·3	59·2	66·3	17·1	43·3	21·9	10·8
October ...	67·9				56·2*	19·9*	17·7	23·9	5·3	65·2*	65·2	20·2*	42·4	29·5*	13·2
November ...	66·7	84·9	72·4	37·6	51·3	17·5	15·7	27·9	3·5	49·5	67·4	15·4	55·1	25·4	10·7
December ...	74·4				47·3	15·9	18·3	44·3	3·5	62·2	60·7	17·8	59·3	24·5	9·7
1969 January ...	80·7				57·2*	17·0*	16·3	38·2	4·6	43·3*	73·1	18·6*	53·7	25·8*	11·4
February ...	76·2				50·0	17·9	16·6	30·5	4·8	59·2	75·7	15·0	45·9	22·9	9·3
March ...															

(1) As crude oil.
(2) Including the production of maize oil
(3) Including quantities held by seed crushers.
(4) Including quantities held by seed crushers, hardeners and refiners of oil, and manufacturers of margarine, compound fat and soap.
(5) For the manufacture of margarine and compound fat.
(6) Including quantities held by hardeners and refiners of oil and manufacturers of margarine and compound fat.
(7) 53 week period (except for fresh, frozen and cured fish).
* Five week period.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

Milk, milk products and eggs

Monthly averages, calendar months or totals for four or five week periods

TABLE 43 — Stocks: end of period — Million gallons

	Total milk disposals (1)	Liquid milk					Milk for manufacture
		Total	National Milk Scheme		School milk	Full price	
			Free	Reduced price			
1964	194·9	136·8	0·7	17·5	4·7	113·9	58·1
1965	203·1	136·9	0·6	17·9	4·7	113·7	66·2
1966	201·1	137·6	0·7	18·3	4·7	113·9	63·5
1967	208·2	138·3	0·8	18·0	4·7	114·8	69·9
1968	213·8	137·9	0·9	18·3	4·3	114·4	75·9
1968 January	190·8	140·9	0·9	18·7	4·9	116·4	49·9
February	183·8	134·1	0·8	17·5	5·4	110·4	49·7
March	209·4	144·7	0·9	18·6	5·9	119·3	64·7
April	225·6	134·7	0·9	18·1	3·4	112·3	90·9
May	263·1	143·2	0·9	18·6	6·3	117·4	119·9
June	247·0	136·0	0·9	18·1	4·9	112·1	111·0
July	229·2	137·8	0·9	18·7	5·0	113·2	91·4
August	217·8	132·7	0·9	18·7	0·4	112·7	85·1
September	206·7	134·8	0·9	18·1	3·2	112·6	71·9
October	208·2	140·7	0·8	18·4	4·7	116·8	67·5
November	192·2	136·9	0·8	18·0	4·7	113·4	55·3
December	191·6	137·9	1·2	18·0	3·0	115·7	53·7
1969 January	194·2	138·6	1·2	18·0	4·0	115·4	55·6
February	179·8	128·9	1·1	16·4	3·9	107·5	50·9
March	209·3	142·0	1·2	18·0	3·9	118·9	67·3

Thousand tons

	Butter		Cheese		Condensed and evaporated milk(2)		Milk powder				Eggs in shell (million dozen)
							Full-cream		Skimmed(3)		
	Production (4) (5)	Stocks (6)	Production (4)	Stocks (7)	Production	Stocks (8)	Production	Stocks (8)	Production	Stocks (8)	Disposals
1964	1·9	36·3	9·1	27·8	15·8	31·4	2·2	3·0	2·5	4·2	103·8
1965	3·0	41·6	9·4	51·8	16·9	23·4	2·1	1·7	5·6	24·1	102·9(9)
1966	2·5	37·6	8·8	41·4	17·1	27·1	2·3	2·4	5·0	13·6	100·1
1967	3·1	36·5	10·0	51·2	16·6	24·5	1·9	3·0	6·0	24·7	105·5
1968	4·2	50·6	9·8	70·7	15·7	18·2	2·0	2·7	7·9	26·0	106·6
1968 January	1·8	66·7	7·6	55·9	11·2	22·7	1·5	2·9	4·0	22·8	119·4*
February	1·7	75·6	7·4	57·4	11·9	16·4	1·2	2·1	3·5	20·4	93·1
March	3·0	85·2	8·4	63·0	15·6	18·9	1·5	2·1	5·4	16·0	98·8
April	5·3	87·4	11·9	67·1	18·7	19·3	2·5	2·7	9·5	19·1	127·4*
May	7·8	86·3	15·4	72·2	23·8	25·7	3·4	4·0	15·3	28·5	96·5
June	6·7	86·5	14·4	76·6	21·8	30·6	3·1	4·7	13·3	34·3	102·8
July	5·6	80·0	10·6	77·2	18·0	30·2	2·1	4·3	10·8	38·5	120·3*
August	5·6	72·4	9·6	73·4	15·7	29·1	2·3	4·5	10·4	40·7	102·5
September	4·3	56·6	8·5	71·9	13·8	27·5	2·8	5·0	7·2	38·4	99·4
October	3·9	45·1	9·3	71·1	14·3	25·2	1·3	4·3	6·8	33·6	123·4*
November	2·6	48·7	7·9	73·5	12·0	21·4	1·1	3·3	4·4	27·8	100·8
December	2·1	50·6	6·9	70·7	11·4	18·2	1·2	2·7	4·2	26·0	94·4
1969 January	2·5	62·9	7·6	72·5	13·7	18·2	1·2	2·2	3·8	20·9	120·1*
February	2·2	70·0	7·0	73·1	12·5	17·3	1·2	1·6	3·2	17·0	97·8
March	3·0	73·7	8·5								98·0

(1) Sales through the Milk Marketing Schemes. (2) Whole and skimmed. Excluding skim concentrates and condensed milk used in the manufacture of chocolate crumb. (3) Skimmed powder excludes buttermilk and whey powder. (4) Figures are based on milk usage. From January 1965 the figures relate to calendar months. (5) Excluding farm production. (6) Stocks held in cold storage. (7) Stocks held by importers, manufacturers and factors. From January 1965, the figures include farmhouse cheese, and from December 1965 coverage of stocks of imported cheese has been extended. (8) Stocks held by manufacturers only; importers' stocks not known. (9) 53 week period.

* Five week period.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture Fisheries and Food

FOOD AND DRINK

Canned fruit, vegetables and soups, cocoa, chocolate, tea, coffee and soft drinks

Monthly averages, calendar months or totals for four or five week periods

TABLE 44 — Stocks: end of period — Thousand tons

	Canned and bottled fruit		Canned vegetables		Canned soups (1)	Cocoa beans	Chocolate and sugar confectionery			Tea		Raw coffee		Soft drinks	
														Concentrated	Unconcentrated
	Production	Stocks (2)	Production	Stocks (2)	Production	Disposals	Production	Disposals	Stocks (2)	Disposals	Stocks (3)	Disposals	Stocks	Production	
														Million gallons	
1964	8·2	45·5	57·3	204·2	21·8	7·2	53·0	53·8	43·8	18·8	89·2	5·6	30·5	4·3	19·8
1965(4)	8·1	29·5	52·1	167·9	23·8	8·4	54·4	55·2	45·1	18·1	102·1	6·1	15·0	4·2	19·7
1966	8·0	22·8	59·0	150·5	24·8	8·9	55·4	55·5	55·1	18·0	97·3	6·4	18·5	4·6	20·3
1967	6·8	20·0	61·2	171·3	22·1	7·8	55·4	56·9	52·5	18·9	98·0	6·9	14·6	5·1	20·8
1968	8·4	38·9	59·4	177·7	22·8	7·6	55·6	57·5	45·2	18·3	124·7	6·9	21·8	4·9	21·2
1968 January ...	3·4	15·7	63·2	157·1	23·0	8·3	61·9*	64·3*	51·5	20·2	113·3	7·2	14·4	3·8	17·8
February ...							56·6	59·7	49·4					3·4	16·4
March ...							57·0	59·8	47·8					3·8	19·6
April ...	11·1	28·6	50·9	140·4	20·2	7·9	59·0*	59·2*	48·5	16·9	101·9	7·4	17·7	5·6	21·2
May							51·9	48·7	52·9					6·2	24·0
June... ...							49·8	46·8	56·8					6·2	25·2
July	17·1	52·8	65·2	170·2	19·3	6·5	60·3*	54·7*	63·7	19·3	109.5	6·1	22·3	6·4	27·0
August ...							36·9	46·9	54·7					4·9	23·7
September ...							51·5	56·6	51·4					4·1	21·0
October ...	2·0	38·9	58·5	177·7	28·5	7·8	73·5*	80·4*	46·3	16·7	124·7	7·0	21·8	5·1	19·9
November ...							60·8	63·4	45·5					5·0	19·1
December ...							48·5	50·0	45·2					4·3	19·1
1969 January ...							64·9*	60·3*	51·2						
February ...															
March ...															

(1) Figures relate to ready-to-serve equivalent. (2) Stocks held by manufacturers only.
(3) Stocks now include those held by primary wholesalers which are available quarterly only.
(4) 53 week period (except for soft drinks). *Five week period.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

Tobacco

Monthly averages or calendar months

TABLE 45 — Stocks: end of period — Million lb.

	Warehouse stocks (leaf)	Quantities duty-paid									
		Unmanufactured leaf		Manufactured products				*less* refunds			
		Full rate	Commonwealth rate	Cigars	Cigarettes	Other(1)	Gross quantity duty-paid	Cigarettes	Other manufactured products	Tobacco waste	Net quantity duty-paid
1964	451·38	12·06	13·58	0·04	0·03	0·04	25·75	2·03	0·14	2·52	21·06
1965	432·50	10·82	13·98	0·04	0·03	0·06	24·94	2·39	0·17	2·41	19·96
1966	397·25	11·02	14·04	0·04	0·04	0·06	25·20	2·65	0·23	2·51	19·81
1967	367·30	12·36	13·07	0·05	0·04	0·05	25·58	2·79	0·27	2·47	20·03
1968	370·40	14·01	11·69	0·06	0·04	0·12	25·92	3·03	0·38	2·63	19·88
1968 January ...	363·32	15·05	14·24	0·07	0·04	0·05	29·46	3·35	0·49	3·06	22·56
February ...	..	13·44	12·19	0·05	0·04	0·06	25·77	3·09	0·31	2·61	19·76
March ...	362·01	13·50	11·71	0·07	0·04	0·08	25·39	2·98	0·38	2·73	19·30
April ...	..	12·28	10·32	0·03	0·03	0·06	22·72	2·68	0·28	2·24	17·53
May ...	..	15·02	12·73	0·05	0·05	0·14	27·99	3·67	0·41	2·84	21·07
June... ...	359·1	12·33	10·58	0·04	0·03	0·13	23·12	2·59	0·35	2·41	17·77
July	..	14·34	12·87	0·05	0·05	0·13	27·44	3·48	0·36	2·84	20·76
August ...	..	14·05	11·46	0·04	0·05	0·14	25·73	3·14	0·45	2·59	19·55
September ...	361·6	14·23	10·65	0·05	0·03	0·14	25·10	2·84	0·54	2·21	19·52
October ...	..	17·20	12·91	0·10	0·05	0·17	30·41	2·93	0·39	2·90	24·19
November ...	..	14·44	11·19	0·11	0·05	0·15	25·94	3·06	0·32	2·90	19·66
December ...	370·4	12·31	9·44	0·07	0·04	0·15	22·00	2·59	0·28	2·25	16·87
1969 January ...		14·69	12·37	0·06	0·04	0·18	27·35	2·95	0·32	2·50	21·57
February ...		12·74	10·62	0·05	0·03	0·15	23·59	3·04	0·27	2·48	17·80
March ...											

(1) Including Cavendish tobacco made in bond in the United Kingdom.

Source: H.M. Customs and Excise

Alcoholic drinks

Spirits (potable)

TABLE 46 — Monthly averages or calendar months — Million proof gallons

	Production	Home consumption(1)								
		Total	Imported					Home produced		Medical (rebated)
			Rum	Brandy	Liqueurs	Other mature	Other immature	Mature	Immature	
1964	9·99	1·56	0·14	0·12	0·04	0·01	0·04	0·77	0·39	0·04
1965	11·56	1·46	0·13	0·10	0·04	0·01	0·01	0·75	0·38	0·03
1966	11·94	1·48	0·13	0·11	0·04	0·01	—	0·75	0·39	0·04
1967	10·68	1·49	0·13	0·12	0·04	0·01	—	0·77	0·39	0·03
1968	10·39	1·55	0·14	0·12	0·04	0·01	0·01	0·82	0·37	0·03
1968 January	7·49	1·40	0·13	0·10	0·02	0·01	0·02	0·76	0·32	0·04
February	10·88	1·18	0·10	0·09	0·02	0·01	0·01	0·66	0·24	0·05
March	12·26	1·15	0·09	0·09	0·02	0·01	—	0·57	0·32	0·04
April	10·59	0·93	0·07	0·06	0·01	0·01	0·01	0·56	0·18	0·02
May	11·24	1·00	0·08	0·07	0·02	0·01	0·02	0·55	0·22	0·04
June	11·23	1·14	0·07	0·08	0·02	0·01	0·01	0·59	0·33	0·02
July	7·08	1·33	0·09	0·10	0·02	0·01	0·02	0·64	0·42	0·03
August	7·28	1·21	0·10	0·10	0·03	0·01	0·01	0·64	0·29	0·02
September	9·65	1·42	0·11	0·11	0·04	0·01	0·02	0·77	0·33	0·02
October	11·96	2·38	0·25	0·20	0·08	0·02	0·02	1·14	0·63	0·03
November	12·66	3·26	0·33	0·28	0·11	0·02	0·02	1·72	0·74	0·04
December	12·31	2·25	0·24	0·16	0·07	0·01	0·01	1·25	0·47	0·03
1969 January	9·30	0·70	0·08	0·12	0·02	0·01	0·02	0·32	0·10	0·04
February	10·57	0·87	0·06	0·05	0·01	0·01	0·02	0·54	0·13	0·04
March										

(1) The sub-headings indicate the description of the spirits at the time of duty payment.

Beer and wines

Monthly averages or calendar months

	Beer				Imported wine							British wine
						Heavy		Light				
	Production	Total	Home-produced	Imported	Total	Full rate	Commonwealth rate	Full rate(2)		Commonwealth rate	Sparkling	
								Bottle	Other			
	Home consumption											
	Million bulk barrels				Million gallons							
1964	2·47	2·50	2·39	0·10	2·33	0·71	0·26	0·09	0·98	0·18	0·11	0·77
1965	2·47	2·53	2·42	0·10	2·18	0·65	0·24	0·09	0·93	0·19	0·10	0·78
1966	2·52	2·57	2·46	0·11	2·36	0·68	0·23	0·10	1·02	0·22	0·11	0·79
1967	2·56	2·62	2·51	0·12	2·67	0·77	0·24	0·14	1·11	0·26	0·14	0·80
1968	2·62	2·67	2·55	0·12	2·95	0·84	0·23	0·16	1·24	0·33	0·15	0·92
1968 January	2·15	2·42	2·32	0·11	2·52	0·68	0·21	0·18	1·04	0·27	0·14	0·92
February	2·27	2·20	2·10	0·10	2·38	0·51	0·17	0·16	1·17	0·22	0·16	0·96
March	2·40	2·34	2·22	0·12	2·66	0·52	0·16	0·14	1·35	0·29	0·20	0·73
April	2·55	2·48	2·36	0·12	2·09	0·51	0·20	0·10	1·00	0·19	0·09	1·14
May	2·94	2·62	2·50	0·12	2·45	0·60	0·23	0·14	1·11	0·28	0·10	0·48
June	2·65	3·01	2·89	0·12	2·15	0·51	0·20	0·11	0·92	0·30	0·10	0·76
July	3·05	2·72	2·58	0·14	3·04	0·80	0·23	0·14	1·39	0·35	0·14	0·72
August	2·93	3·10	2·97	0·13	2·84	0·89	0·23	0·12	1·26	0·23	0·12	0·78
September	2·45	2·99	2·87	0·12	2·77	0·82	0·23	0·14	1·17	0·30	0·12	0·91
October	2·80	2·51	2·39	0·12	4·51	1·50	0·32	0·24	1·67	0·54	0·25	0·93
November	2·68	2·87	2·74	0·13	4·84	1·70	0·33	0·24	1·67	0·65	0·25	1·38
December	2·53	2·76	2·64	0·13	3·07	1·08	0·26	0·17	1·08	0·32	0·16	1·36
1969 January	2·36	2·56	2·46	0·10	2·22	0·47	0·15	0·12	1·16	0·22	0·09	1·02
February	2·13	2·40	2·31	0·09	1·84	0·38	0·16	0·12	0·90	0·20	0·08	0·95
March												

(2) The sub-division distinguishes between wine imported in bottles and wine imported otherwise (for example, in casks).

Source: H.M. Customs and Excise

Estimated household food expenditure and consumption in Great Britain

Analysis by income of head of household(1)

TABLE 47

	All households		Analysed by weekly income of head of household(1)					
						Less than £11 10s.		
	1967 fourth quarter	1968 fourth quarter	£33 and over	£19 and under £33	£11 10s. and under £19	With earners	Without earners	Old age pensioners
			Fourth quarter 1968					
Expenditure								
Total per head per week ...	s. d. 36 11	s. d. 38 0	s. d. 41 3	s. d. 37 2	s. d. 37 5	s. d. 35 6	s. d. 36 8	s. d. 38 9
					Pence per head per week			
Milk and cream	46·81	49·30	57·69	48·16	46·60	43·16	48·36	55·40
Cheese	9·89	9·78	11·61	9·27	9·67	7·71	9·84	11·40
Fats	24·36	23·50	25·75	22·57	23·18	22·43	24·89	28·32
Eggs	18·38	18·58	18·52	17·84	18·61	19·74	20·52	19·59
Carcase meat	66·38	67·96	78·37	65·22	66·07	59·43	63·08	68·59
Bacon and ham, uncooked ...	18·20	18·91	20·71	18·16	19·18	19·53	17·48	18·44
All other meat	51·12	53·20	54·26	52·50	53·56	56·96	47·62	48·43
Fish	19·73	19·83	20·78	18·80	19·29	22·57	16·92	24·43
Fresh fruit	21·18	22·03	29·24	21·88	18·47	17·48	23·76	19·36
Other fruit	12·52	12·21	17·81	12·32	10·96	5·23	7·23	10·66
Potatoes	11·62	11·84	9·01	12·21	11·84	10·72	12·10	9·19
Fresh green and other vegetables	26·95	29·58	32·37	29·73	27·77	26·37	26·30	24·26
Bread	28·28	29·76	24·23	29·23	32·73	32·70	27·64	30·94
Cereals, other than bread ...	41·62	42·45	43·57	41·93	44·11	37·89	37·61	43·19
Sugar and preserves	13·49	13·12	12·56	12·64	13·78	12·10	13·83	17·18
Tea	12·16	12·13	10·34	11·08	12·61	14·49	15·72	18·11
Other beverages and miscellaneous	20·68	22·27	27·95	22·15	21·00	16·99	27·28	17·31
Consumption(2)								
					Ounces per head per week			
Liquid milk ... ... (*pints*)	4·82	4·72	5·37	4·77	4·47	4·13	4·55	4·79
Milk, processed and cream (*pints or eq. pints*)	0·38	0·35	0·38	0·34	0·38	0·30	0·51	0·29
Cheese	3·33	3·32	3·66	3·22	3·33	2·67	3·26	3·91
Butter	6·33	6·15	7·20	5·91	5·69	5·97	7·09	7·58
Margarine	2·82	2·79	2·25	2·70	3·55	1·93	2·52	2·95
Other fats	2·93	3·03	2·95	2·97	3·20	3·27	1·92	3·33
Eggs ... ... (*number*)	4·65	4·51	4·81	4·36	4·59	4·59	4·55	4·58
Carcase meat	17·90	16·66	17·82	16·09	16·19	15·52	15·36	18·13
Bacon and ham, uncooked ...	4·99	5·08	5·34	4·93	5·20	5·04	4·50	5·13
All other meat	16·89	17·03	17·32	16·80	17·35	17·48	15·72	15·38
Fish	5·80	5·45	5·17	5·22	5·40	6·50	4·58	7·26
Fresh fruit	19·43	20·72	27·85	20·78	17·38	14·71	20·34	19·80
Other fruit	8·13	7·78	10·93	7·84	7·24	3·72	4·30	6·50
Potatoes	56·15	57·86	46·37	59·61	63·41	56·00	56·00	44·91
Fresh green vegetables	12·19	11·59	11·44	11·68	10·68	10·12	9·80	14·86
Other vegetables	22·61	23·75	22·86	23·92	24·92	22·44	19·17	21·37
Bread	39·48	38·02	29·82	37·64	42·44	39·92	36·46	37·14
Flour	6·29	5·85	4·83	5·10	7·49	5·11	7·30	10·04
Cakes and biscuits	12·52	12·34	11·74	12·34	12·63	11·34	9·90	13·48
Other cereals	7·87	7·88	7·63	7·62	8·37	6·69	9·85	7·76
Sugar	16·66	16·59	14·66	16·24	17·81	16·92	14·78	20·19
Preserves	2·98	2·69	2·94	2·52	2·78	1·93	4·09	3·92
Tea	2·64	2·65	2·22	2·43	2·76	3·10	3·52	3·90
Other beverages	0·91	1·00	1·27	0·97	0·93	0·45	1·67	1·11

(1) Ascertained or estimated gross income of head of household or of the principal earner if the weekly income of the head is less than £11 10s.

(2) Purchases *plus* free food, including withdrawals from stores of certain home-produced foods.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food (National Food Survey)

Estimated household food expenditure and consumption in Great Britain

Analysis by composition of household

TABLE 47 (*continued*)

	All households		Households with one man and one woman and						
	Year 1967	Year 1968	no other (one or both 55 years of age or over	no other (both under 55 years of age)	one child	two children	three or more children	adolescents only	children and adolescents
			Fourth quarter 1968						
Expenditure Total per head per week ...	s. d. 36 11	s. d. 37 11	s. d. 48 6	s. d. 50 4	s. d. 38 0	s. d. 31 7	s. d. 28 2	s. d. 45 4	s. d. 34 6
			Pence per head per week						
Milk and cream	47·25	49·45	59·35	63·02	50·73	45·36	40·07	56·59	45·70
Cheese	9·87	10·09	13·91	13·07	10·13	7·83	6·16	12·50	8·02
Fats	24·12	23·35	31·78	31·44	22·44	18·58	17·21	26·58	20·88
Eggs	17·65	18·17	24·05	22·34	17·56	16·20	13·52	19·82	16·85
Carcase meat	62·64	64·12	97·87	95·56	62·24	51·63	44·74	84·21	58·16
Bacon and ham, uncooked ...	18·70	18·86	25·32	25·95	18·52	14·84	11·98	23·86	16·46
All other meat	49·82	53·64	64·78	71·57	54·89	44·64	37·09	69·83	47·60
Fish	19·88	20·30	30·96	27·46	17·09	15·82	12·25	19·66	18·23
Fresh fruit	24·77	26·07	28·15	29·19	22·88	17·91	15·90	27·09	18·34
Other fruit	10·77	10·82	15·61	17·13	14·64	11·29	9·28	18·20	9·69
Potatoes	14·73	12·14	10·68	14·64	11·96	9·62	10·69	12·81	12·70
Fresh green and other vegetables	28·85	30·64	33·27	43·51	31·76	24·19	21·59	34·33	28·82
Bread	28·54	29·58	34·66	36·13	28·41	24·62	24·50	32·32	28·91
Cereals, other than bread ...	39·23	40·59	50·44	52·71	47·17	37·59	36·71	48·24	39·74
Sugar and preserves	13·38	13·02	17·45	16·08	10·96	10·44	11·25	15·93	12·76
Tea	12·51	11·89	19·18	15·61	9·84	7·68	7·48	14·82	9·93
Other beverages and miscellaneous	20·07	21·89	24·16	28·83	24·56	20·50	17·67	26·82	20·80
Consumption[1]			*Ounces per head per week*						
Liquid milk ... ... (*pints*)	4·89	4·82	5·03	5·32	4·90	4·85	4·73	4·85	4·20
Milk, processed and cream (*pints or eq. pints*)	0·38	0·40	0·31	0·35	0·57	0·36	0·39	0·39	0·26
Cheese	3·35	3·41	4·77	4·43	3·46	2·72	2·07	4·22	2·76
Butter	6·19	6·14	8·38	8·55	5·79	4·85	4·37	7·15	5·25
Margarine	3·00	2·81	3·23	3·14	2·53	2·31	2·75	2·69	3·15
Other fats	2·73	2·82	3·84	3·51	3·22	2·81	2·40	3·35	2·60
Eggs ... ... (*number*)	4·72	4·66	5·54	5·72	4·38	4·06	3·60	4·70	3·97
Carcase meat	16·96	16·00	23·41	21·77	14·73	12·81	11·43	19·96	14·91
Bacon and ham, uncooked ...	5·17	5·15	6·68	6·56	4·88	4·27	3·34	6·21	4·53
All other meat	16·16	17·32	19·85	22·14	17·70	14·81	12·76	22·26	15·12
Fish	5·79	5·69	8·39	6·81	4·62	4·44	3·45	5·27	5·05
Fresh fruit	21·74	22·57	27·50	26·63	20·19	18·34	15·39	24·75	16·86
Other fruit	7·42	7·34	9·59	10·90	9·04	7·01	6·08	12·45	6·76
Potatoes	52·24	51·92	52·64	73·92	56·57	49·72	50·90	65·63	69·55
Fresh green vegetables ...	13·17	13·05	17·05	14·35	11·73	8·72	8·09	14·94	9·64
Other vegetables	21·07	21·60	25·96	33·06	23·96	21·42	18·50	26·09	25·62
Bread	40·02	38·31	42·14	44·41	36·02	31·92	32·94	40·35	38·21
Flour	5·79	5·38	9·84	6·70	5·05	4·33	4·17	5·62	4·82
Cakes and biscuits	11·91	11·88	15·07	15·40	12·99	10·75	9·86	14·65	12·04
Other cereals	7·35	7·67	8·87	8·43	9·12	7·07	8·49	6·98	8·03
Sugar	17·21	16·35	20·37	19·43	15·00	14·26	14·57	18·13	17·34
Preserves	2·85	2·79	4·37	3·77	1·72	1·92	2·31	3·43	2·20
Tea	2·70	2·59	4·11	3·43	2·18	1·70	1·69	3·22	2·21
Other beverages	0·86	0·98	1·48	1·54	0·72	0·83	0·57	1·27	0·88

(1) See footnote (2) on page 42.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food (National Food Survey)

VI. INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION

Index of industrial production(1)

TABLE 48 — Average 1958 = 100

	Total all industries	Mining and quarrying	Manufacturing industries: Total all manufacturing industries	Food, drink and tobacco: Total	Food	Drink and tobacco	Chemicals and allied industries: Total	Coke ovens, oil refineries, etc.	General chemicals, etc.	Engineering and allied industries: Total	Engineering and electrical goods	Shipbuilding and marine engineering	Vehicles (including aircraft)	Metal goods not elsewhere specified
Weights	*1,000*	*72*	*748*	*86*	*55*	*31*	*68*	*9*	*59*	*310*	*167*	*22*	*79*	*42*
1962	115·1	95	115·3	112	110	116	129	120	131	115	123	87	112	101
1963	119·0	95	120·0	115	112	121	139	124	141	119	126	77	121	108
1964	128·2	95	129·5	118	112	129	152	135	154	128	137	75	126	121
1965	131·9	92	133·8	121	114	133	159	142	161	133	144	74	129	123
1966	133·4	86	135·6	124	117	137	165	149	167	136	152	74	131	115
1967	133·3	85	134·2	124	118	136	171	146	175	134	153	74	121	110
1968	139·4	81	141·7	126	120	136	183	158	186	140	157	71	132	121
Unadjusted														
1967 October	138	89	140	128	124	134	176	143	180	137	155	73	126	121
November	142	91	142	134	129	142	175	152	179	140	161	73	122	120
December	138	92	136	123	116	136	171	152	174	142	166	72	124	115
1968 January	135	71	134	115	117	112	173	140	178	132	149	72	121	121
February	142	91	142	124	121	129	182	141	188	140	157	72	129	126
March	146	91	149	127	120	139	187	149	193	151	170	72	144	129
April	136	83	137	121	115	131	183	156	187	132	145	72	128	121
May	143	92	146	130	122	144	186	160	190	143	160	72	138	126
June	140	79	145	130	119	148	183	170	185	146	164	71	143	122
July	130	74	132	124	117	136	176	162	178	129	151	71	113	105
August	125	66	126	122	116	133	172	161	174	118	133	71	105	106
September	140	78	145	126	123	133	186	158	190	144	160	71	140	120
October	146	84	150	134	128	145	191	162	196	144	161	70	141	122
November	150	87	153	137	130	150	190	168	194	152	170	69	146	130
December	142	76	142	124	118	134	181	174	182	147	170	69	136	119
1969 January (3)	140	79	140	118	119	118	188	169	191	138	149	69	140	125
February(3)	147	83	148	123	122	125	191	172	194	146	160	69	140	139
March														
Seasonally adjusted														
1967 October	134	85	134	122	118	131	174	144	178	133	152	73	119	115
November	135	84	136	126	121	134	173	150	177	134	153	72	122	113
December	138	85	139	127	121	139	179	148	183	138	156	71	128	124
1968 January	136	84	138	126	122	134	175	143	179	134	154	71	119	117
February	137	84	138	127	122	135	175	141	180	136	154	72	125	117
March	138	85	140	125	119	136	177	147	182	139	154	72	134	123
April	137	83	139	122	118	130	183	149	188	136	155	72	123	121
May	139	83	140	123	118	134	181	155	185	138	156	72	129	118
June	139	81	142	126	119	138	180	169	181	141	161	71	129	122
July	140	80	142	125	121	134	184	166	187	140	158	72	130	123
August	141	83	144	128	122	138	188	173	191	142	160	72	134	126
September	139	79	142	126	120	136	183	161	187	142	158	72	140	116
October	141	80	144	128	121	141	189	163	193	141	158	70	138	116
November	143	81	146	129	122	141	188	166	192	146	162	69	145	123
December	143	81	146	128	123	137	189	170	191	144	159	68	141	128
1969 January (3)	141	80	144	128	124	137	190	172	192	140	154	68	140	122
February(3)	142	77	144	127	123	134	184	172	186	142	157	69	138	129
March														

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Source: Central Statistical Office

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TABLE 48 (*continued*)

Average 1958 = 100

	Manufacturing industries (*continued*)														
	Metal manufacture			Textiles, leather and clothing				Bricks, pottery, glass, etc.			Timber, furniture, etc.	Paper, printing and publishing	Other manufacturing industries	Construction (2)	Gas, electricity and water
	Total	Ferrous	Non-ferrous	Total	Textiles	Leather, leather goods and fur	Clothing and footwear	Total	Bricks, cement, etc.	Pottery and glass					
Weights	*68*	*55*	*13*	*92*	*58*	*4*	*30*	*28*	*17*	*11*	*20*	*55*	*22*	*126*	*54*
1962	108	106	114	109	105	97	118	126	129	121	111	122	118	121	125
1963	113	111	119	112	110	99	120	130	131	127	113	128	126	121	133
1964	128	127	131	119	116	102	126	148	154	139	128	139	137	135	137
1965	134	134	133	121	118	103	129	151	158	139	127	142	144	138	145
1966	125	125	127	120	117	101	127	151	157	142	121	144	152	139	151
1967	118	117	121	116	114	89	122	155	165	140	124	145	155	145	156
1968	125	124	130	126	129	94	125	164	172	150	132	152	171	149	164
Unadjusted															
1967 October ...	123	122	123	126	125	90	133	163	175	144	136	158	169	} 148 {	152
November	124	124	128	128	130	95	129	165	173	154	136	156	172		186
December	113	110	128	112	117	88	108	146	155	131	124	143	162		194
1968 January ...	119	117	126	116	120	94	113	153	161	140	127	158	162	} 143 {	204
February ...	127	126	131	130	130	96	135	163	173	148	132	159	172		207
March ...	128	127	135	137	135	99	146	168	179	150	135	153	171		186
April ...	125	125	125	122	125	87	119	162	169	149	118	158	162	} 150 {	161
May ...	129	129	130	126	132	99	119	175	184	161	140	165	176		153
June ...	129	127	138	124	129	95	118	161	178	135	132	149	173		125
July ...	107	104	120	115	115	83	119	158	165	146	124	142	156	} 150 {	125
August ...	113	115	106	114	117	78	113	153	162	140	131	133	149		124
September	131	129	140	132	132	96	137	162	177	138	140	145	179		135
October	133	133	135	139	142	101	139	178	182	172	145	166	184	} 152 {	153
November	136	134	146	141	146	104	136	176	179	171	130	161	189		188
December	123	122	128	119	128	94	104	154	160	146	136	140	176		202
1969 January (3)	128	128	132	126	132	99	116	164	167	158	114	160			203
February (3)	137	135	144	137	138		139	168	171	164	138	159			228
March ...															
Seasonally adjusted															
1967 October ...	117	117	121	115	115	86	118	155	169	135	125	147	160	} 147 {	157
November	118	117	123	119	118	90	125	158	169	142	126	146	165		162
December	120	118	128	122	122	90	127	156	169	137	132	152	165		161
1968 January ...	119	118	125	121	122	91	123	156	166	140	140	151	165	} 146 {	164
February ...	121	120	123	123	125	90	123	163	174	147	139	153	166		172
March ...	122	121	127	128	129	92	132	166	179	146	138	150	169		168
April ...	123	122	125	125	130	91	119	162	172	148	127	157	168	} 149 {	156
May ...	123	122	125	124	127	95	124	166	173	155	135	154	169		169
June ...	128	126	135	128	132	95	124	164	172	150	124	150	168		155
July ...	127	125	134	126	128	96	127	163	173	148	129	153	171	} 149 {	165
August ...	131	131	131	129	131	96	129	163	172	150	141	159	173		164
September	125	123	135	127	132	91	121	158	168	143	124	147	167		159
October	128	127	132	126	130	96	124	170	176	160	134	155	174	} 151 {	158
November	130	127	140	131	134	98	131	168	175	158	120	151	180		164
December	133	134	128	129	134	96	123	165	173	152	144	150	180		168
1969 January (3)	129	129	131	130	134	95	126	166	172	158	125	153			163
February (3)	130	128	135	129	133		127	168	172	163	145	153			189
March ...															

(1) This index provides a general measure of monthly changes in total industrial production. The unadjusted index allows for variations in the length of calendar months so that it gives the average weekly rate of production in each month. The seasonally adjusted index allows for holidays and regularly recurring seasonal movements.

As some of the figures on which the index is based are available only with considerable delay, the index numbers for the last few months are always liable to be revised. Industries are grouped according to the *Standard Industrial Classification, 1958*.

(2) For an index of construction (new work only) for Great Britain, see Table 112.

(3) Provisional.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Output per head (1)

TABLE 49 — Seasonally adjusted — 1960=100

	Gross domestic product	Employed labour force	Gross domestic product per head	All production industries			Manufacturing industries			Metal manufacturing			Engineering and electrical goods		
				Output	Employment	Output per head	Output	Employment	Output per head	Output	Employment	Output per head	Output	Employment	Output per head
1960 ...	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0
1961 ...	101·8	101·0	100·8	101·2	101·3	99·9	100·2	101·2	99·0	94·1	101·8	92·4	106·6	104·3	102·3
1962 ...	103·2	101·4	101·8	102·3	101·0	101·3	100·6	100·5	100·1	88·9	97·1	91·6	108·4	105·8	102·5
1963 ...	106·6	101·5	105·0	105·8	99·9	105·9	104·7	99·3	105·4	93·1	96·3	96·7	110·9	105·0	105·6
1964 ...	112·6	102·9	109·4	114·0	101·6	112·2	113·0	100·7	112·2	105·5	100·6	104·9	120·7	107·7	112·
1965 ...	115·5	103·8	111·2	117·2	102·7	114·1	116·8	101·9	114·6	110·2	102·3	107·7	126·7	111·1	114·0
1966 ...	117·0	104·0	112·5	118·6	102·4	115·8	118·3	101·9	116·1	103·5	100·2	103·3	133·8	113·4	118·0
1967 ...	118·7	102·5	115·8	118·5	99·6	119·0	117·1	99·1	118·2	97·2	95·3	102·0	134·7	112·1	120·7
1968 ...	122·6			123·9	97·9	126·6	123·6	98·1	126·0	103·3	93·6	110·4	138·5	110·3	125·6
1960 1st qtr.	99·5	99·5	100·0	99·4	99·3	100·1	99·5	99·0	100·5	98·4	97·9	100·5	99·9	98·1	101·8
2nd qtr.	99·6	99·8	99·8	99·6	99·8	99·8	99·7	99·8	99·9	99·9	99·6	100·3	98·7	99·5	99·2
3rd qtr.	100·2	100·0	100·2	100·1	100·3	99·8	100·2	100·4	99·8	101·4	100·8	100·6	99·1	100·7	98·4
4th qtr.	100·7	100·8	100·0	100·7	100·6	100·1	100·5	100·8	99·7	100·2	101·7	98·5	102·2	101·8	100·4
1961 1st qtr.	101·6	101·1	100·5	100·9	101·2	99·7	100·5	101·1	99·4	97·5	102·4	95·2	103·0	102·9	100·1
2nd qtr.	102·0	100·9	101·1	101·7	101·3	100·4	100·8	101·3	99·5	96·6	102·6	94·2	107·2	104·0	103·
3rd qtr.	102·2	101·2	101·0	101·7	101·3	100·4	100·4	101·3	99·1	93·1	101·8	91·5	107·9	104·8	103·0
4th qtr.	101·4	100·9	100·5	100·7	101·3	99·4	99·1	101·2	97·9	89·2	100·4	88·8	108·0	105·6	102·3
1962 1st qtr.	101·9	101·4	100·5	101·1	101·5	99·6	99·3	101·1	98·2	88·5	98·7	89·7	106·7	105·9	100·8
2nd qtr.	103·2	101·5	101·6	102·6	101·1	101·5	101·0	100·8	100·2	89·4	97·1	92·1	110·0	106·0	103·8
3rd qtr.	104·1	101·5	102·6	103·6	100·9	102·7	101·8	100·4	101·4	90·2	96·5	93·5	109·9	105·9	103·8
4th qtr.	103·4	101·2	102·2	101·6	100·4	101·2	100·3	99·8	100·5	87·3	96·2	90·7	107·1	105·5	101·5
1963 1st qtr.	102·6	100·8	101·7	100·0	99·0	101·0	99·8	99·4	100·4	87·2	95·9	90·9	108·5	105·1	103·2
2nd qtr.	106·0	101·5	104·4	104·6	99·9	104·7	103·1	99·1	104·0	90·0	95·9	93·8	109·1	104·7	104·2
3rd qtr.	108·2	101·6	106·5	107·9	100·1	107·8	106·7	99·2	107·6	95·7	96·2	99·5	113·0	104·7	107·9
4th qtr.	109·7	102·2	107·3	110·2	100·5	109·7	108·9	99·5	109·4	99·1	97·2	102·0	112·8	105·4	107·0
1964 1st qtr.	110·9	102·3	108·3	112·2	101·1	111·0	111·1	100·0	111·1	101·7	98·9	102·8	118·2	106·4	111·1
2nd qtr.	112·4	102·7	109·5	113·7	101·4	112·1	112·6	100·5	112·0	106·4	100·4	106·0	119·8	107·4	111·5
3rd qtr.	113·1	103·1	109·7	114·3	101·7	112·4	113·5	100·9	112·5	105·2	101·3	103·8	121·0	108·0	112·0
4th qtr.	114·0	103·4	110·2	115·7	102·3	113·1	114·8	101·4	113·2	108·9	101·9	106·9	123·8	109·1	113·5
1965 1st qtr.	115·1	103·6	111·1	117·3	102·6	114·3	116·6	101·7	114·7	111·6	102·5	108·9	125·1	110·0	113·7
2nd qtr.	114·5	103·7	110·5	116·4	102·6	113·5	116·1	101·8	114·0	110·6	102·5	107·9	125·1	110·7	113·0
3rd qtr.	115·5	103·7	111·4	117·0	102·8	113·8	116·4	102·0	114·1	109·9	102·2	107·5	127·3	111·6	114·1
4th qtr.	116·5	104·2	111·9	118·3	102·9	115·0	118·1	102·2	115·6	108·8	102·2	106·5	129·8	112·2	115·7
1966 1st qtr.	117·2	104·3	112·3	119·2	102·9	115·8	119·6	102·2	117·0	107·1	101·4	105·6	133·1	112·9	117·9
2nd qtr.	117·0	104·2	112·2	118·7	102·8	115·5	118·6	102·2	116·0	105·6	100·5	105·1	131·8	113·4	116·2
3rd qtr.	117·3	104·1	112·6	119·2	102·5	116·3	118·9	102·1	116·5	102·4	100·1	102·3	134·0	113·8	117·8
4th qtr.	116·5	103·2	112·9	117·1	101·5	115·4	116·0	101·1	114·7	98·8	98·6	100·2	136·0	113·4	119·9
1967 1st qtr.	117·2	102·7	114·1	117·6	100·6	116·9	116·7	100·1	116·6	98·2	97·0	101·2	134·3	112·9	119·0
2nd qtr.	118·3	102·6	115·4	117·9	99·9	118·0	116·4	99·4	117·1	97·4	95·7	101·8	135·4	112·4	120·5
3rd qtr.	118·7	102·6	115·6	117·9	99·2	118·9	116·4	98·6	118·1	95·2	94·6	100·6	134·0	111·7	120·0
4th qtr.	120·3	102·2	117·7	120·4	98·6	122·1	119·1	98·2	121·3	97·9	93·8	104·4	135·0	111·3	121·3
1968 1st qtr.	122·0	102·0	119·5	122·0	98·3	124·1	121·0	98·1	123·3	99·6	93·6	106·4	135·5	110·7	122·4
2nd qtr.	121·3	101·8	119·2	122·8	97·9	125·4	122·3	98·0	124·8	102·8	93·6	109·8	138·3	110·3	125·4
3rd qtr.	122·8	101·7	120·8	124·6	97·7	127·5	124·6	98·2	126·9	105·4	93·6	112·6	139·4	110·2	126·5
4th qtr.	124·1			126·2	97·8	129·0	126·4	98·3	128·6	107·3	93·7	114·5	140·4	110·1	127·5

(1) For a description of these series, see the article in the October 1968 issue of *Economic Trends*. Statistics for certain other industries (mining and quarrying, vehicles, textiles, gas, electricity and water) are given in the *Employment and Productivity Gazette*.

Sources: Central Statistical Office
Department of Employment and Productivity

Total home costs and labour costs per unit of output(1)

Seasonally adjusted

TABLE 50

1960=100

	Whole economy(2)	
	Total home costs	Wages and salaries
1960	100·0	100·0
1961	103·3	105·3
1962	106·8	109·6
1963	109·1	110·2
1964	112·1	113·2
1965	116·5	117·8
1966	120·7	124·3
1967	125·0	127·1
1968	128·0	130·2
1960 1st quarter... ...	98·7	97·0
2nd quarter ...	100·0	100·3
3rd quarter ...	100·1	100·6
4th quarter ...	101·2	102·0
1961 1st quarter... ...	102·2	103·6
2nd quarter ...	102·5	104·6
3rd quarter ...	104·6	106·5
4th quarter ...	103·8	106·4
1962 1st quarter... ...	105·7	108·9
2nd quarter ...	106·1	108·9
3rd quarter ...	107·5	109·6
4th quarter ...	107·9	110·9
1963 1st quarter... ...	107·8	111·6
2nd quarter ...	108·5	109·0
3rd quarter ...	109·6	109·9
4th quarter ...	110·3	110·5
1964 1st quarter... ...	110·6	111·3
2nd quarter ...	111·5	112·3
3rd quarter ...	113·0	114·2
4th quarter ...	113·1	114·8
1965 1st quarter... ...	114·6	115·1
2nd quarter ...	115·4	116·9
3rd quarter ...	117·9	119·1
4th quarter ...	118·2	120·1
1966 1st quarter... ...	119·4	122·9
2nd quarter ...	120·8	125·7
3rd quarter ...	122·0	124·2
4th quarter ...	120·4	124·6
1967 1st quarter... ...	124·0	125·3
2nd quarter ...	124·5	125·7
3rd quarter ...	125·6	128·4
4th quarter ...	126·1	129·2
1968 1st quarter... ...	127·3	129·6
2nd quarter ...	127·5	129·9
3rd quarter ...	128·7	130·7
4th quarter ...	128·3	130·8

	Whole economy(2)	Production industries		Manufacturing industries		Metal manufacturing		Engineering and electrical goods	
	Labour costs	Wages and salaries	Labour costs	Wages and salaries	Labour costs	Wages and salaries	Labour costs	Wages and salaries	Labour costs
1960	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0
1961	105·6	105·2	105·6	106·3	106·8	111·5	112·2	102·9	103·3
1962	110·1	107·8	108·5	108·7	109·5	115·3	116·6	105·1	106·0
1963	111·0	107·7	108·8	107·4	108·6	112·9	115·0	104·5	105·8
1964	113·9	109·4	110·5	108·7	109·9	113·8	115·8	106·1	107·4
1965	119·0	115·4	116·9	114·8	116·3	119·7	122·0	112·6	114·2
1966	127·5	120·4	123·9	120·3	123·9	129·8	134·2	114·9	118·6
1967	130·4	122·1	122·9	123·3	122·1	135·3	135·1	118·0	117·0
1968	134·6								

(1) See footnote to Table 49.
(2) Revised series, taking into account new estimates of the gross domestic product at constant (1963) prices (See the article 'National income and expenditure in the fourth quarter of 1968' in the April issue of *Economic Trends*).

Sources: Central Statistical Office
Department of Employment and Productivity

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Coal

TABLE 51 — Weekly averages — Stocks: end of period — Thousand tons

	Production			Consumption			Stocks(1)		
	Total	Deep mined	Opencast	Total	Inland consumption(2)	Exports	Distributed	Opencast sites and central stocking grounds	Collieries
1963	3,765	3,647(3)	118(3)	3,876	3,731	145	16,476	1,891	17,714
1964	3,724	3,593	131	3,716	3,601	115	17,270	2,150	18,227
1965	3,606	3,465	141	3,622	3,550	72	16,535	2,920	18,595
1966	3,357	3,222	135	3,414	3,359	55	18,413	3,319	15,230
1967	3,311	3,174	137	3,189	3,153	36	18,567	4,252	23,441
1968	3,155	3,023	132	3,216	3,164	52	17,050	4,228	23,801
1966 April	3,381	3,273	108	3,689	3,643	46	11,967	2,869	15,664
May	3,791	3,659	132	3,278	3,215	63	13,466	2,929	16,127
June	3,326*	3,189*	137*	2,789*	2,758*	31*	14,853	3,087	17,558
July	2,966	2,816	150	2,671	2,618	53	16,366	3,200	17,374
August	2,427	2,277	150	2,596	2,546	50	16,553	3,288	16,766
September	3,069*	2,917*	152*	2,900*	2,842*	58*	17,611	3,361	16,437
October	3,492	3,348	144	3,214	3,159	55	19,106	3,350	16,302
November	3,618	3,461	157	3,694	3,639	55	19,032	3,376	16,228
December	3,609*	3,481*	128*	3,942*	3,887*	55*	18,413	3,319	15,230
1967 January	2,862	2,751	111	3,766	3,740	26	15,970	3,280	14,529
February	3,690	3,552	138	3,742	3,705	37	15,593	3,371	14,895
March	3,610*	3,471*	139*	3,522*	3,484*	38*	14,417	3,566	16,691
April	3,393	3,260	133	3,292	3,258	34	13,402	3,728	18,214
May	3,609	3,478	131	3,142	3,115	27	13,796	3,862	19,715
June	3,248*	3,111*	137*	2,749*	2,719*	30*	15,402	3,958	20,834
July	2,990	2,849	141	2,534	2,498	36	16,682	4,054	21,631
August	2,415	2,286	129	2,333	2,304	29	16,974	4,151	21,958
September	3,062*	2,913*	149*	2,763*	2,726*	37*	17,695	4,257	22,661
October	3,483	3,337	146	3,105	3,065	40	18,660	4,297	23,264
November	3,587	3,457	130	3,438	3,386	52	19,205	4,274	23,572
December (4)	3,689*	3,542*	147*	3,848*	3,798*	50*	18,567	4,252	23,441
1968 January	3,312	3,187	125	3,901	3,863	38	15,770	4,192	22,436
February	3,610	3,471	139	3,892	3,858	34	14,949	4,167	22,352
March	3,548*	3,404*	144*	3,691*	3,642*	49*	14,301	4,180	22,592
April	3,184	3,054	130	3,152	3,119	33	13,996	4,242	23,376
May	3,537	3,397	140	3,147	3,090	57	14,779	4,338	24,296
June	2,968*	2,832*	136*	2,687*	2,647*	40*	15,876	4,456	24,778
July	2,805	2,684	121	2,592	2,554	38	16,816	4,476	25,119
August	2,436	2,297	139	2,502	2,465	37	17,063	4,502	24,947
September	2,932*	2,800*	132*	2,861*	2,795*	66*	17,960	4,419	24,587
October	3,256	3,119	137	3,033	2,970	63	19,122	4,375	24,588
November	3,393	3,264	129	3,443	3,361	82	19,054	4,328	24,659
December	2,943*	2,830*	113*	3,673*	3,599*	74*	17,050	4,228	23,801
1969 January	3,089	2,984	105	3,821	3,761	60	14,951	4,056	22,711
February	3,299	3,184	115	3,920	3,856	64	13,091	4,030	22,484
March	3,280*	3,157*	123*	3,916*	3,831*	85*	11,460	3,878	21,025

(1) Stocks held in Northern Ireland are excluded.
(2) Including shipments to Northern Ireland and the Channel Islands.
(3) From July 1963, the opencast figures include the production of certain licensed sites previously included in the deep mined figures.
(4) Week ended 30 December 1967 is omitted from the figures.
* Average of five weeks.

Source: Ministry of Power

Inland consumption of coal

TABLE 52

Weekly averages

Thousand tons

	Public utility undertakings			Coke ovens	Industry			Domestic			Collieries	Miscellaneous (2)
	Gas	Electricity (1)	Railways		Iron and steel	Engineering and other metal trades	Other industries	Miners' coal	Merchants' disposals: House coal	Merchants' disposals: Anthracite and boiler fuel		
54	388	1,296	80	491	40	49	387	83	423	46	71	247
55	346	1,333	53	496	33	49	381	80	413	49	66	251
56	321	1,306	33	467	24	44	358	74	383	51	60	238
57	277	1,281	15	444	17	40	329	68	345	51	55	231
58	203	1,395	4	470	15	37	329	62	331	50	47	221
58 January	309	1,747	8	449	19	55	369	75	451	63	58	260
February	299	1,744	8	454	20	54	349	81	459	63	56	271
*March	278	1,600	7	465	18	52	344	74	424	60	55	265
April	226	1,321	6	473	15	41	320	67	337	43	47	223
May	201	1,308	5	477	14	37	321	65	331	44	50	237
*June	165	1,109	3	472	12	24	307	51	248	38	43	175
July	151	1,087	2	466	11	21	295	52	237	40	40	152
August	141	1,045	2	462	10	18	288	41	225	42	37	154
*September	151	1,194	1	471	13	24	304	53	299	49	39	197
October	164	1,299	2	477	15	32	331	65	275	47	43	220
November	178	1,564	3	483	17	44	355	66	314	53	47	237
*December	187	1,711	4	482	18	46	359	61	371	62	45	253
59 January	192	1,806	3	484	18	50	362	67	401	69	43	266
February	196	1,881	3	485	19	55	358	64	416	69	44	265
*March	186	1,845	3	485	19	50	342	68	432	68	46	287

(1) Public supply electricity and railway and transport power stations.
(2) Including shipments to Northern Ireland and the Channel Islands.
Average of five weeks

Source: Ministry of Power

Distributed stocks of coal

Great Britain

TABLE 53

End of period

Thousand tons

	Public utility undertakings			Coke ovens	Industry			Merchants' stocks		Miscellaneous
	Gas	Electricity	Railways		Iron and steel	Engineering and other metal trades	Other industries	House coal	Anthracite and boiler fuel	
54	1,748	10,168	186	1,105	101	212	1,351	1,918	283	198
55	1,445	10,027	121	1,295	74	200	1,338	1,627	195	213
56	1,630	11,833	91	1,334	60	184	1,203	1,494	342	242
57	1,261	12,744	17	1,385	40	151	1,131	1,354	255	229
58	726	12,490	7	1,107	32	114	989	1,093	268	224
58 January	1,011	10,992	14	1,050	38	147	952	1,155	215	196
February	995	10,417	11	1,149	36	137	934	905	180	185
March	899	10,072	9	1,245	34	126	966	635	145	170
April	769	10,015	10	1,234	33	115	992	504	164	160
May	736	10,503	8	1,399	30	101	1,035	595	179	193
June	754	11,165	10	1,392	29	102	1,043	958	232	191
July	755	11,725	9	1,454	34	105	1,122	1,138	260	214
August	785	12,407	9	1,038	31	100	1,040	1,195	264	194
September	792	13,210	9	952	31	111	1,054	1,329	268	204
October	821	13,985	9	1,083	29	120	1,103	1,447	293	232
November	815	13,792	9	1,257	31	120	1,092	1,364	315	259
December	726	12,490	7	1,107	32	114	989	1,093	268	224
59 January	618	10,869	7	1,053	33	109	897	910	240	215
February	526	9,280	7	1,089	31	104	914	735	210	195
March	477	7,916	7	1,187	27	93	908	510	160	175

Source: Ministry of Power

Coal and oil consumption by main industrial groups(1)

Great Britain

TABLE 54 — Weekly averages — Thousand tons

	Total all industries		Iron and steel		Engineering and other metal industries		Food, drink and tobacco		Chemicals and allied industries	
	Coal	Oil	Coal	Oil	Coal	Oil	Coal	Oil	Coal	Oil
1964	476·0	271·8	40·0	85·4	48·7	40·2	43·5	17·5	101·9	35·2
1965	463·3	295·2	33·4	92·0	48·6	43·3	43·0	19·9	101·7	38·8
1966	426·2	308·0	24·5	90·0	43·6	46·2	41·4	21·8	95·7	45·1
1967	386·0	322·0	16·7	91·1	39·7	49·6	36·5	24·4	89·2	50·0
1968	380·9	337·8	15·1	94·7	37·2	52·6	33·5	26·4	90·1	54·1
1968 January	442·6	394·9	18·8	111·0	55·2	77·0	56·0	30·9	102·1	55·5
February	423·2	391·3	20·2	102·1	53·6	76·3	37·0	31·3	96·8	57·9
*March	413·8	394·7	18·2	101·8	51·4	76·2	29·3	28·8	95·0	59·6
April	376·1	345·8	14·4	93·5	41·3	58·2	25·6	25·1	90·8	52·2
May	372·1	340·4	14·2	93·2	37·4	49·9	26·4	26·5	88·6	54·6
*June	342·9	288·9	12·1	88·9	24·2	30·4	22·7	23·1	87·2	49·7
July	327·2	267·6	10·9	78·1	20·8	26·9	21·2	21·8	82·7	48·5
August	315·6	258·1	10·2	80·0	17·5	24·2	20·9	20·3	81·6	46·5
*September	341·3	288·5	13·6	88·8	24·0	30·9	23·0	21·8	84·5	51·2
October	377·6	332·5	14·4	93·9	32·2	46·4	39·8	27·4	85·0	55·8
November	415·5	378·1	16·7	102·5	43·6	66·5	49·3	30·5	90·8	59·7
*December	423·2	373·5	17·9	101·7	45·9	69·1	52·7	30·0	95·5	57.6
1969 January	429·8	402·9	17·7	112·0	50·4	77·7	52·2	31·3	96·6	60·4
February	431·8	420·7	19·5	112·6	54·8	84·1	36·8	31·3	97·7	61·4
March										

	Textiles, leather and clothing		Paper, printing and stationery		Cement, bricks, tiles, fireclay and other building materials		China, earthenware and glass		Other industries	
	Coal	Oil	Coal	Oil	Coal	Oil	Coal	Oil	Coal	Oil
1964	48·8	16·9	59·6	15·3	85·9	30·2	9·8	14·4	37·8	13·6
1965	45·6	19·0	59·4	16·9	87·9	32·6	7·7	14·9	36·0	14·9
1966	40·1	20·3	58·0	18·2	83·6	33·2	6·4	15·7	32·9	16·0
1967	35·4	21·5	52·9	20·1	79·9	31·9	5·4	15·9	30·3	17·5
1968	34·1	23·2	52·2	21·7	85·6	30·1	4·5	16·5	28·6	18·5
1968 January	40·6	26·8	52·7	22·8	78·5	33·5	5·5	16·8	33·2	20·6
February	40·2	28·2	57·3	23·9	79·3	33·3	5·6	16·4	33·2	21·9
*March	41·0	28·4	58·2	24·9	81·2	36·7	5·5	16·6	34·0	21·7
April	35·0	24·8	53·0	21·6	81·0	34·6	4·9	16·7	30·1	19·1
May	35·2	24·1	54·2	22·0	82·0	34·7	4·6	16·7	29·5	18·7
*June	28·5	18·9	52·1	19·7	87·8	27·4	3·7	14·5	24·6	16·3
July	27·3	18·0	46·4	17·1	89·0	27·0	3·9	15·3	25·0	14·9
August	25·0	16·0	46·0	17·6	89·1	24·2	3·6	15·4	21·7	13·9
*September	29·9	18·9	50·1	19·7	88·2	25·7	3·4	16·1	24·6	15·4
October	32·7	22·6	50·3	22·8	91·0	28·2	4·1	17·3	28·1	18·1
November	37·0	26·9	54·1	24·1	89·4	28·8	4·7	18·3	29·9	20·8
*December	36·0	26·0	51·7	23·7	89·4	26·9	4·4	18·4	29·7	20·1
1969 January	38·0	28·8	54·5	25·0	85·5	26·8	4·2	18·5	30·7	22·4
February	40·9	31·8	55·9	26·8	88·7	29·0	4·1	19·4	33·4	24·3
March										

(1) The oil figures relate to gas/diesel and fuel oils and creosote/pitch mixtures used for burning.
* Average of five weeks.

Source: Ministry of Power

Coal: Productivity(1)

TABLE 55

Weekly averages

	Number of wage earners on colliery books		Average number of shifts per wage earner per week		Absence percentage		Average output in cwt. per manshift worked	
	Total	Under-ground						
	Thousands		Overall	Under-ground	Overall	Under-ground	Overall	At the coal face
1963	524	416	4·30	4·11	16·02	16·93	32·96	97·52
1964	498	396	4·27	4·08	15·78	16·75	34·35	102·41
1965	466	370	4·13	4·02	17·47	18·43	35·90	108·30
1966	427	338	4·13	4·02	17·64	18·59	36·35	112·82
1967	401	316	4·10	4·03	17·78	18·76	38·18	116·84
1968	350	277	4·11	4·03	18·11	19·01	41·70	129·34
1966 January	445	353	3·74	3·58	19·25	20·05	36·56	112·18
February	443	351	4·44	4·25	20·28	20·91	37·49	113·43
*March	438	348	4·45	4·25	19·97	20·75	37·31	113·98
April	434	345	4·11(2)	4·00	17·68	18·53	36·52	112·91
May	431	341	4·53	4·43	15·91	16·79	37·30	115·18
*June	426	338	4·11	3·99	16·27	17·37	36·18	113·53
July	422	334	3·79	3·64	16·15	17·34	34·96	111·74
August	420	332	3·28	3·13	16·88	18·24	32·93	107·11
*September	418	330	3·99	3·87	16·66	17·77	34·70	108·82
October	417	328	4·38	4·28	17·33	18·37	36·49	112·43
November	416	327	4·45	4·36	17·71	18·78	37·24	115·05
*December	415	327	4·48	4·39	16·96	17·78	37·27	115·19
1967 January	413	326	3·59	3·50	18·77	19·64	36·90	114·45
February	413	326	4·45	4·36	18·36	19·14	38·56	117·57
*March	411	324	4·23	4·26	18·92	19·81	38·89	118·31
April	409	323	4·15	4·09	17·53	18·45	37·97	115·89
May	407	321	4·42	4·33	16·37	17·27	38·40	117·34
*June	405	319	4·11	4·00	17·28	18·43	37·29	114·77
July	401	317	3·85	3·73	16·69	17·89	36·74	115·03
August	398	314	3·29	3·16	17·48	18·81	34·77	110·48
*September	396	311	3·99	3·89	17·90	19·07	36·74	112·62
October	391	308	4·34	4·26	18·39	19·43	39·17	118·12
November	388	305	4·40	4·35	18·05	18·19	40·17	121·06
*December(3)	384	303	4·45	4·40	17·38	18·09	41·07	123·63
1968 January	380	300	4·03	3·97	21·37	21·97	41·24	124·45
February	376	297	4·35	4·28	19·69	20·29	42·21	127·57
*March	370	292	4·33	4·26	19·96	20·50	42·31	128·47
April	361	286	4·13	4·05	16·73	17·53	40·66	126·05
May	356	282	4·50	4·43	15·42	16·20	42·10	129·69
*June	350	278	3·99	3·89	16·96	18·09	40·15	126·00
July	345	274	3·89	3·78	16·38	17·54	39·75	126·62
August	340	270	3·37	3·27	17·28	18·54	39·61	127·79
*September	336	266	4·03	3·95	18·23	19·39	40·83	128·22
October	332	262	4·35	4·27	19·04	20·15	42·83	133·66
November	329	260	4·44	4·37	18·29	19·17	44·30	136·68
*December	326	257	3·94	3·86	17·07	17·84	43·73	137·37
1969 January	323	256	4·12	4·05	19·64	20·40	44·38	137·41
February	321	254	4·33	4·26	20·28	20·87	45·32	138·72
*March	320	253	4·28	4·20	21·51	22·10	45·79	140·02

(1) Mines operated by the National Coal Board which account for about 99 per cent of the total output. Changes in the basis of the recorded figures have occurred from time to time making comparisons difficult. The figures given in this table have therefore been adjusted where necessary to conform throughout to the current definitions given in the *Supplement of Definitions and Explanatory Notes*.

(2) From April 1966, attendances at training and other non-operational activities are excluded.

(3) Week ended 30 December 1967 is omitted from the figures.

* Average of five weeks.

Source: Ministry of Power

Coke(1)

Great Britain

TABLE 56 — Weekly averages — Stocks: end of period — Thousand tons

	Production(2)			Gasworks consumption (2)	Disposals				Stocks		
						Inland disposals(3)		Overseas shipments (4)			
	Total	At coke ovens	At gas works		Total	Total	To blast furnaces		At coke ovens	At blast furnaces	At gasworks
1963	485	298	187	30	493	462	209	31	2,822	257	1,869
1964	493	324	169	26	482	462	237	20	1,806	294	2,161
1965	478	328	150	24	472	461	237	11	1,404	181	1,608
1966	448	310	138	20	434	422	216	12	1,332	150	1,424
1967	414	295	119	11	400	391	203	9	1,315	177	1,529
1968	401	313	88	6	409	400	220	9	984	201	1,138
1966 April	471	324	147	28	473	463	230	10	1,167	215	1,281
May	451	323	128	12	426	413	226	13	1,177	179	1,322
June	426*	318*	108*	8*	381*	372*	219*	9*	1,281	181	1,403
July	409	305	104	8	370	358	207	12	1,365	178	1,443
August	396	294	102	9	351	342	201	9	1,476	185	1,478
September	409*	300*	109*	9*	372*	361*	210*	11*	1,511	163	1,587
October	424	302	122	14	429	416	213	13	1,440	158	1,582
November	441	291	150	30	435	426	199	9	1,397	158	1,532
December	454*	289*	165*	27*	461*	449*	192*	12*	1,332	150	1,424
1967 January	451	292	159	23	445	431	194	14	1,311	170	1,375
February	456	302	154	13	440	430	205	10	1,313	140	1,388
March	454*	306*	148*	10*	425*	415*	210*	10*	1,339	134	1,461
April	433	305	128	14	408	401	213	7	1,368	127	1,477
May	411	298	113	10	404	395	211	9	1,366	137	1,463
June	386*	298*	88*	5*	385*	376*	210*	9*	1,360	144	1,449
July	376	288	88	5	358	350	198	8	1,390	190	1,474
August	364	278	86	8	330	322	185	8	1,465	204	1,502
September	387*	289*	98*	9*	369*	363*	199*	6*	1,432	181	1,585
October	401	293	108	10	396	387	201	9	1,389	182	1,608
November	420	294	126	15	463	394	203	9	1,375	188	1,626
December(5)	428*	294*	134*	16*	443*	433*	203*	10*	1,315	177	1,529
1968 January	431	299	132	16	452	440	207	12	1,252	175	1,454
February	429	300	129	13	451	443	209	8	1,181	193	1,383
March	428*	307*	121*	9*	446*	437*	214*	9*	1,144	231	1,292
April	413	314	99	8	403	394	224	9	1,177	217	1,266
May	404	316	88	7	414	406	226	8	1,116	191	1,262
June	385*	313*	72*	3*	380*	373*	226*	7*	1,101	183	1,289
July	377	310	67	3	360	353	214	7	1,153	206	1,293
August	371	310	61	2	357	347	220	10	1,180	192	1,313
September	380*	314*	66*	2*	394*	385*	228*	9*	1,107	184	1,307
October	393	319	74	3	398	388	228	10	1,101	159	1,279
November	398	323	75	6	415	401	224	14	1,051	162	1,238
December	402*	323*	79*	4*	431*	420*	220*	11*	984	201	1,138
1969 January	403	322	81	4	436	427	217	10	947	217	1,020
February	406	322	84	8	439	425	226	14	886	200	920
March			81*	8*					761	200	737

(1) Excluding coke breeze.
(2) Excluding coke used for heating retorts at gas works.
(3) Including shipments to Northern Ireland.
(4) Figures relate to actual shipments made in each period and owing to the time lag between the date of shipment and the notification to H.M. Customs they differ from the figures published in the *Trade Accounts*.
(5) Week ended 30 December 1967 is omitted from the figures.
*Average of five weeks.

Source: Ministry of Power

Production of gas

TABLE 57

Weekly averages

	Fuel used for gas making		Total gas available at gasworks	Gas made at gasworks				Gas purchased and reformed					
									Natural gas			Refinery gas	Coke oven gas
	Coal	Oil		Total	Coal gas	Water gas and other gas	Oil gas	Total	North Sea	Other indig-enous	Imported		
	Thousand tons		Million therms										
1963...	430	23·70	63·2	46·6	32·3	11·1	3·2	16·6	—	0·4	—	7·4	8·8
1964...	391	28·97	65·4	44·5	29·4	10·0	5·1	20·9	—	0·5	0·6	11·0	8·8
1965...	348	43·80	72·8	45·3	25·9	9·5	9·9	27·5	—	0·5	4·7	13·8	8·5
1966...	322	60·38	78·0	49·7	23·9	7·9	17·9	28·3	—	0·4	4·7	15·2	8·0
1967...	276	78·26	84·0	51·8	20·2	4·7	26·9	32·2	3·0	0·4	5·7	15·4	7·7
1968...	203	99·07	94·3	54·1	14·9	2·7	36·5	40·2	13·1	0·4	6·9	12·7	7·1
1966 April	333	67·35	85·7	53·5	24·7	9·7	19·1	32·2	—	0·5	7·3	16·3	8·1
May	285	45·85	66·6	40·5	21·1	5·7	13·7	26·1	—	0·4	4·6	13·1	8·0
*June	251	30·42	52·5	31·2	18·3	3·1	9·8	21·3	—	0·4	1·7	11·9	7·3
July	237	27·99	50·4	29·3	17·6	3·0	8·7	21·1	—	0·4	3·6	9·8	7·3
August	245	29·36	50·8	30·7	18·1	4·1	8·5	20·1	—	0·4	1·7	10·7	7·3
*September	254	37·54	56·5	34·5	18·6	4·1	11·8	22·0	—	0·5	1·6	12·5	7·4
October	302	59·86	74·6	47·7	22·4	7·4	17·9	26·9	—	0·4	3·3	15·3	7·9
November	363	92·01	99·9	66·9	26·9	13·0	27·0	33·0	—	0·5	5·4	18·6	8·5
*December	376	103·22	106·3	70·6	27·6	9·2	33·8	35·7	—	0·4	7·6	19·2	8·5
1967 January	384	113·02	113·1	75·2	28·1	8·8	38·3	37·9	—	0·5	8·5	20·3	8·6
February	360	108·25	106·8	70·5	26·8	5·5	38·2	36·3	—	0·5	8·7	19·0	8·1
*March	325	98·69	97·9	63·4	24·2	4·2	35·0	34·5	—	0·4	7·7	18·4	8·0
April	293	95·13	93·0	59·8	21·4	5·9	32·5	33·2	—	0·5	8·3	16·4	8·0
May	246	74·83	78·3	47·9	17·9	4·3	25·7	30·4	—	0·5	8·2	14·1	7·6
*June	205	44·14	56·4	32·7	14·9	2·6	15·2	23·7	0·7	0·4	3·0	12·6	7·0
July	203	32·82	48·1	27·6	14·7	2·1	10·8	20·5	2·6	0·4	0·3	10·0	7·2
August	206	30·05	48·9	27·2	14·9	3·0	9·3	21·7	4·0	0·3	0·2	10·2	7·0
*September	233	39·45	59·4	32·7	16·6	3·4	12·7	26·7	4·5	0·3	2·0	12·6	7·3
October	267	61·39	79·4	43·4	19·3	3·9	20·2	36·0	6·2	0·4	6·7	14·9	7·8
November	300	111·62	108·8	66·6	22·0	6·4	38·2	42·2	8·6	0·4	8·2	17·1	7·9
*December	307	130·96	119·4	75·1	22·5	6·4	46·2	44·3	9·4	0·4	8·2	18·5	7·8
1968 January	311	150·60	128·8	83·8	22·5	6·9	54·4	45·0	10·0	0·4	8·7	18·0	7·9
February	300	157·55	130·6	84·8	22·1	5·4	57·3	45·8	10·4	0·4	9·5	17·6	7·9
*March	278	140·38	118·9	75·9	20·7	3·6	51·6	43·0	11·0	0·4	8·1	15·8	7·7
April	225	103·24	95·8	58·2	17·0	3·0	38·2	37·6	9·5	0·3	7·5	13·4	6·9
May	201	92·92	89·2	52·5	14·6	3·1	34·9	36·7	9·2	0·4	8·3	11·5	7·3
*June	165	48·88	60·0	31·8	12·0	1·5	18·3	28·2	5·5	0·3	7·3	8·6	6·5
July	151	51·57	57·2	31·4	10·9	1·7	18·8	25·8	4·1	0·3	5·2	9·6	6·6
August	141	48·96	54·8	29·5	10·1	1·3	18·1	25·3	6·2	0·3	4·3	8·3	6·2
*September	150	51·14	64·9	30·0	10·8	1·5	17·7	34·9	15·2	0·3	3·4	9·4	6·6
October	164	71·58	81·4	39·1	12·7	0·7	25·7	42·3	18·6	0·4	6·0	10·6	6·7
November	178	126·86	116·4	62·0	13·1	2·5	46·4	54·4	25·2	0·4	6·5	15·1	7·2
*December	186	147·15	133·4	72·0	13·4	2·2	56·4	61·4	30·5	0·4	8·4	14·7	7·4
1969 January	192	153·32	139·0	75·3	13·8	2.1	59·4	63·7	34·6	0·3	7·3	14·4	7·1
February	196	206·62	155·8	97·6	14·0	3·8	79·8	58·2	19·1	0·4	11·9	19·3	7·5
*March	185	210·42	148·1	96·8	13·5	3·5	79·8	51·3	19·4	0·4	6·5	17·6	7·4

* Average of five weeks.

Source: Ministry of Power

Generation of electricity by the public electricity supply system

TABLE 58

	Fuel used(1)			Electricity generated				Electricity sent out	Total electricity available (3)	Output capacity	New plant brought into commission	Maximum load(4)
	Coal	Coke breeze	Oil	Total(2)	By steam plant		By water power					
					Nuclear	Other						
	Monthly averages or calendar months									At end of period	During period	
	Thousand tons			Million kilowatt hours						Megawatts		
1963	5,554	56	421	12,991	291	12,429	256	12,147	12,427	37,223	2,015	33,634
1964	5,654	56	473	13,716	445	12,972	285	12,803	13,073	37,820	599	35,108
1965	5,786	36	520	14,783	1,063	13,362	327	13,755	14,059	41,465	3,668	37,731
1966	5,674	46	597	15,345	1,487	13,471	323	14,254	14,579	43,786	2,564	38,600
1967	5,576	52	606	15,928	1,773	13,685	420	14,740	15,031	47,469	3,910	40,722
1968	6,111	36	522	17,030	2,005	14,646	320	15,758	16,104	50,940	4,067	42,913
1966 July	4,114	32	429	11,552	1,475	9,851	198	10,650	10,934	41,787	17	23,028
August ...	4,490	35	475	12,012	1,239	10,575	172	11,105	11,423	41,760	—	24,039
September ...	4,862	46	539	12,871	1,132	11,522	187	11,971	12,261	42,309	530	25,864
October ...	5,674	54	631	15,385	1,453	13,651	226	14,291	14,619	42,354	57	32,772
November ...	6,655	66	763	18,218	1,648	16,141	309	16,970	17,331	42,369	18	36,848
December ...	6,724	73	762	19,056	1,785	16,528	655	17,757	18,104	43,786	1,446	35,544
1967 January ...	7,076	89	821	19,882	1,783	17,561	474	18,509	18,835	43,785	—	38,600
February ...	6,035	70	667	17,340	1,796	15,018	483	16,103	16,449	43,780	17	36,686
March ...	5,871	81	668	17,548	2,101	14,694	711	16,254	16,548	43,760	204	32,305
April ...	5,466	55	642	16,179	2,073	13,550	489	14,952	15,278	43,751	—	32,904
May	5,161	45	610	15,072	1,946	12,730	328	13,897	14,152	43,768	17	29,760
June... ...	4,472	37	483	12,522	1,399	10,872	216	11,552	11,804	44,056	288	25,301
July	4,052	27	467	11,608	1,416	9,975	192	10,681	10,924	44,113	57	23,814
August ...	4,243	27	462	12,110	1,599	10,261	227	11,137	11,433	44,630	517	24,366
September ...	4,861	33	536	13,413	1,391	11,704	275	12,398	12,671	44,630	—	25,341
October ...	5,761	43	584	16,175	1,559	13,924	652	14,974	15,233	45,935	1,307	33,739
November ...	6,787	58	656	19,029	1,971	16,468	534	17,639	17,923	46,086	136	36,060
December ...	7,130	54	680	20,254	2,242	17,462	463	18,780	19,123	47,469	1,367	38,656
1968 January ...	7,759	64	623	21,335	2,278	18,480	486	19,827	20,165	47,757	288	40,722
February ...	7,380	71	580	20,292	2,200	17,620	405	18,831	19,198	47,825	68	37,737
March ...	6,810	50	559	19,219	2,299	16,461	421	17,797	18,102	48,242	916	36,747
April ...	5,676	39	491	16,076	2,082	13,557	389	14,869	15,171	48,227	17	33,469
May	5,722	36	485	15,909	1,852	13,732	275	14,748	15,085	48,244	17	29,760
June... ...	4,644	26	365	12,626	1,419	11,047	137	11,643	11,987	48,407	197	25,682
July... ...	4,707	24	427	13,066	1,470	11,404	166	12,029	12,280	48,511	104	25,164
August ...	4,811	25	387	13,178	1,595	11,404	148	12,131	12,478	48,511	—	29,529
September ...	5,174	20	451	14,205	1,683	12,264	203	13,096	13,443	48,862	351	28,364
October ...	5,827	25	495	16,725	2,238	13,997	461	15,455	15,822	48,861	25	30,894
November ...	7,006	26	665	19,801	2,368	16,928	396	18,341	18,721	49,370	509	36,844
December ...	7,815	22	742	21,924	2,573	18,862	359	20,332	20,790	50,940	1,575	39,743
1969 January ...	7,835	25	605	21,955	2,560	18,979	369	20,359	20,755	51,014	83	41,412
February ...	7,828	17	675	21,825	2,421	18,913	393	20,315	20,691	51,094	108	42,913
March ...	8,052	20	736	22,585	2,543	19,639	287	20,957	21,313	50,916	600	

(1) Excluding quantities used for production of steam for sale. In 1968, 254,000 tons of coal and 16,000 tons of oil were used for that purpose.

(2) Including generation by oil engine, refuse destructor, and waste heat.

(3) Including purchases from industrial producers whose generation is shown in Table 59, and net imports from France.

(4) Annual figures relate to the maximum load occurring near the end of the year or early in the following year.

Source: Ministry of Power

Generation of electricity outside the public electricity supply system

Great Britain

TABLE 59 — Weekly averages — Million kilowatt hours

	Total (1)	Transport undertakings	Total mining and manufacturing industries (2)	Chemicals		Iron and steel	Engineering (2)	Textiles, leather and clothing	Food, drink and tobacco	Paper	Other Industries
				Nuclear power stations (3)	Other						
1963	307·0	16·6	290·4	57·4	80·0	52·8	26·7	10·6	8·0	47·5	7·4
1964	318·3	16·2	302·1	57·8	83·4	56·9	27·5	10·7	8·0	49·8	8·0
1965	326·6	14·9	311·7	58·9	86·0	58·2	28·8	10·8	8·0	52·9	8·1
1966	323·5	12·7	310·8	60·8	88·2	54·1	27·7	10·2	8·7	53·2	7·9
1967	319·4	12·1	307·3	56·8	92·3	52·3	27·4	10·0	7·6	53·0	7·9
1968	327·4	11·9	315·5	60·4	93·9	53·4	27·1	10·9	7·2	55·0	7·6
1966 July	285·8	11·8	274·0	51·0	81·2	46·2	26·1	9·4	4·7	49·0	6·4
August	285·0	11·5	273·5	61·4	80·3	46·8	25·9	8·3	4·6	40·3	5·9
*September	301·9	11·4	290·5	60·6	82·0	48·3	27·9	10·2	4·8	49·4	7·3
October	312·7	11·7	301·0	59·7	82·3	50·5	27·6	10·7	12·5	50·3	7·4
November	333·1	12·6	320·5	65·4	83·7	53·8	28·1	10·9	15·4	54·5	8·7
*December	357·2	13·8	343·4	67·6	99·0	59·2	28·8	10·8	15·5	53·4	9·1
1967 January	352·2	13·4	338·8	65·5	98·9	62·4	30·9	9·8	12·2	49·2	8·9
February	359·1	14·0	345·1	66·7	98·9	62·7	31·3	10·7	7·7	57·3	9·8
*March	322·5	13·4	309·1	56·6	88·9	53·4	30·1	9·8	4·4	56·7	9·2
April	328·6	12·9	315·7	59·2	95·2	54·7	28·7	9·9	4·6	54·5	8·9
May	310·6	12·7	297·9	50·3	92·8	48·5	28·3	10·6	4·8	53·9	8·7
*June	294·9	12·1	282·8	49·5	89·0	45·3	27·3	9·6	4·1	51·2	6·8
July	290·6	11·7	278·9	50·0	86·0	47·5	26·2	9·8	4·1	49·0	6·3
August	276·4	10·6	265·8	56·3	87·1	44·7	20·9	8·7	3·7	39·0	5·4
*September	296·8	10·5	286·3	57·1	86·2	44·5	25·1	9·9	3·9	53·0	6·6
October	313·8	10·8	303·0	52·8	91·0	51·4	25·5	10·3	10·7	54·3	7·0
November	335·9	11·6	324·3	56·5	93·5	54·7	27·9	10·9	14·9	57·9	8·0
*December	353·9	12·0	341·9	61·4	100·8	59·4	26·3	10·6	15·4	59·0	9·0
1968 January	363·4	12·0	351·4	62·4	104·4	62·7	30·1	11·8	12·9	57·5	9·6
February	359·7	12·1	347·6	66·0	100·6	63·6	26·5	11·6	8·4	61·7	9·2
*March	340·4	11·9	328·5	60·0	97·6	59·1	25·9	11·5	5·0	60·9	8·5
April	308·8	11·0	297·8	53·1	91·2	47·7	26·9	10·9	3·5	57·5	7·0
May	316·3	12·3	304·0	54·5	89·8	48·5	29·6	11·3	4·1	59·6	6·6
*June	311·2	11·5	299·7	59·5	86·2	49·7	27·3	10·6	3·4	56·4	6·6
July	294·0	10·9	283·1	50·4	88·1	46·6	26·7	10·4	3·3	51·6	6·0
August	301·5	11·3	290·2	68·4	91·1	47·2	21·3	9·7	3·6	43·5	5·4
*September	303·6	11·5	292·1	61·1	88·8	46·8	24·3	10·7	4·0	49·6	6·8
October	317·6	12·0	305·6	57·6	89·4	49·1	26·6	10·5	11·5	53.6	7·3
November	346·1	13·2	332·9	60·1	98·2	53·7	31·2	11·3	13·7	55·9	8·8
*December	364·6	13·3	351·3	69·4	101·3	64·9	29·7	10·9	14·1	52·0	9·0
1969 January	372·0	13·9	358·1	66·9	105·5	64·7	31·3	9·5	13·4	56·8	10·0
February	367·9	14·2	353·7	67·5	106·2	65·1	31·9	9·7	6·6	56·3	10·4
March											

(1) Excluding the fuel industries which produced:

	Million kilowatt hours
Coal mines (1967/68)	658
Gas works (1967/68)	196
Mineral oil refining (1967)	669

These industries accounted for an average weekly production of about 30 million kilowatt hours in 1967 as compared with 319 million kilowatt hours produced weekly in 1967 by the industries included in the table.

(2) Including non-ferrous metal manufacture and industries covered by Orders VI-IX of the *Standard Industrial Classification*, 1958.

(3) Electricity supplied by United Kingdom Atomic Energy Authority prototype reactors to the public electricity supply system.

*Average of five weeks.

Source: Ministry of Power

Arrivals of tanker-borne crude petroleum and petroleum products(1)

TABLE 60 — Monthly averages or calendar months — Thousand tons

	Total crude petroleum and petroleum products	Crude and process oils	Total petroleum products (2)	Naphtha (L.D.F.) and other feedstock	Aviation spirit and aviation wide-cut gasoline	Motor, industrial and white spirits	Kerosine			Gas/ diesel oil	Fuel oil	Lubricating oils
							Aviation turbine fuel	Burning oil	Vaporising oil			
1964...	6,425·6	4,935·8	1,489·8	134·7	16·1	274·9	13·2	45·2	7·7	234·0	715·3	42·9
1965...	7,016·5	5,364·6	1,651·9	189·7	17·0	270·0	11·9	66·1	5·6	192·6	842·3	41·9
1966...	7,646·9	5,867·8	1,779·1	248·0	23·1	295·8	17·1	60·1	4·5	253·4	802·0	47·0
1967...	8,007·2	6,045·0	1,962·2	340·1	29·8	364·5	46·5	41·6	3·4	285·0	769·9	50·8
1968...	8,679·2	6,823·4	1,855·8	396·9	26·1	366·9	47·1	46·8	3·3	284·3	610·3	50·5
1968 January ...	8,210·7	5,906·5	2,304·2	573·6	22·7	311·5	34·3	54·0	—	338·3	908·7	35·0
February ...	7,600·8	5,296·2	2,304·6	450·2	14·6	340·4	23·9	32·4	2·5	397·3	937·5	59·9
March ...	8,491·3	5,955·0	2,536·3	447·4	27·0	459·4	79·1	60·6	—	360·2	1,023·1	45·3
April	8,769·0	6,454·4	2,314·6	376·8	18·2	454·1	56·4	44·0	3·2	377·2	914·2	45·6
May	9,520·8	7,877·3	1,643·5	318·8	25·2	291·5	20·6	41·9	1·7	280·9	580·0	55·5
June	9,127·8	7,673·4	1,454·4	242·2	8·7	303·7	55·3	43·2	3·6	286·8	450·5	42·1
July	9,231·8	7,557·6	1,674·2	422·1	19·9	378·9	64·0	52·9	3·8	207·2	455·3	58·0
August ...	8,373·5	7,009·8	1,363·7	321·1	41·2	349·6	48·3	34·6	9·0	185·2	310·6	44·2
September ...	8,425·7	6,957·9	1,467·8	254·0	15·2	385·8	41·7	26·7	6·0	192·6	468·3	65·8
October ...	8,218·8	6,721·6	1,497·2	405·3	47·1	366·0	16·5	50·0	3·7	244·9	311·6	30·9
November ...	9,056·1	7,435·3	1,620·8	392·7	48·1	375·2	39·7	25·0	—	269·9	398·4	52·1
December ...	9,123·6	7,035·5	2,088·1	558·4	25·7	386·4	85·7	96·9	6·0	270·5	565·4	72·0
1969 January ...	9,627·6	7,543·1	2,084·5	558·0	21·6	363·1	54·3	76·1	4·0	202·0	724·0	33·4
February ...												
March ...												

(1) The term 'arrivals' is used to distinguish the figures as recorded by importers of oil from those published in the *Trade Accounts*.
(2) Including products not shown separately, namely gases other than natural gas, bitumen and waxes.

Source: Ministry of Power

Refinery throughput, and output of finished petroleum products

TABLE 61 — Monthly averages or calendar months — Thousand tons

	Throughput of crude, process and shale oils	Refinery fuel	Total output of finished products (1)	Gases		Aviation spirit and aviation wide-cut gasoline	Motor spirit	Industrial and white spirits	Kerosine		Gas/ diesel oil	Fuel oil	Lubricating oils	Bitumen
				Butane and propane	Other petroleum				Burning oil	Vaporising oil				
1964	4,873·2	331·0	4,476·2	60·5	40·2	83·1	638·3	13·6	257·5	6·6	999·4	1,900·8	86·3	121·6
1965	5,422·2	345·3	4,995·0	72·8	43·6	62·2	723·8	12·7	276·1	5·1	1,118·6	2,156·1	83·4	118·5
1966	5,882·4	380·7	5,438·6	86·8	46·9	51·7	723·1	14·3	308·8	7·1	1,221·9	2,389·0	89·4	131·4
1967	6,030·8	389·4	5,574·4	84·2	51·2	37·4	735·3	12·8	326·3	5·3	1,167·1	2,523·5	82·9	143·5
1968	6,813·1	422·8	6,319·3	85·2	48·8	35·8	781·6	20·6	381·9	5·7	1,406·2	2,809·9	84·9	143·8
1968 Jan. ...	6,126·2	412·4	5,676·8	88·6	64·1	20·0	782·0	16·8	365·6	3·1	1,074·7	2,594·9	69·6	119·8
Feb. ...	5,596·9	395·2	5,134·3	95·2	62·8	0·5	673·3	14·6	306·4	7·5	1,079·0	2,274·6	71·9	120·9
March ...	6,330·5	413·6	5,860·5	91·3	59·6	20·4	727·0	13·9	387·4	10·3	1,214·1	2,613·0	83·0	165·9
April ...	6,351·4	397·6	5,901·5	76·3	46·6	16·2	634·6	16·7	373·2	3·6	1,385·0	2,551·4	90·5	153·4
May ...	7,310·3	422·1	6,834·0	83·6	41·0	76·6	768·0	16·2	432·6	6·6	1,487·0	3,061·1	78·9	166·5
June ...	7,242·8	404·1	6,753·6	74.2	37·0	67·2	892·3	11·3	385·1	5·5	1,555·1	2,871·0	91·4	161·7
July ...	6,984·8	399·2	6,539·3	77·4	41·5	20·4	886·7	25·0	395·9	8·7	1,450·4	2,878·7	90·5	144·7
August	7,002·1	433·9	6,475·9	77·7	34·9	37·4	880·7	22·6	391·6	9·7	1,555·7	2,778·4	86·7	151·8
Sept. ...	6,513·4	403·0	6,001·6	76·8	43·0	50·3	784·8	27·9	364·6	4·6	1,332·4	2,655·6	85·6	147·2
Oct. ...	6,883·0	426·4	6,413·8	76·6	47·0	51·2	787·0	25·0	387·6	9·2	1,483·4	2,839·9	93·4	146·8
Nov. ...	7,388·1	466·3	6,834·2	97·9	50·8	37·0	735·9	24·6	389·6	—	1,563·7	3,130·0	86·0	135·9
Dec. ...	8,027·5	499·5	7,406·1	106·5	57·7	32·8	826·9	31·9	403·1	—	1,693·7	3,469·6	91·6	111·1
1969 Jan. ...	7,857·0	470·1	7,308·4	100·0	53·7	24·0	815·8	17·3	294·3	1·8	1,648·8	3,476·4	82·5	121·0
Feb. ...	7,085·2	418·2	6,533·9	110·6	59·1	28·1	682·4	29·8	279·7	2·0	1,472·4	3,060·5	96·2	102·4
March ...														

(1) Including output of products not shown separately, namely naphtha (light distillate feedstock) and other feedstock, waxes and miscellaneous production; refinery losses have been excluded.

Source: Ministry of Power

Shipments of petroleum and oil for bunkers(1)

TABLE 62 — Monthly averages or calendar months — Thousand tons

	Shipments										Bunkers	
	Total (2)	Feed-stock	Aviation spirit and aviation wide-cut gasoline	Motor, industrial and white spirits	Kerosine			Gas/ diesel oil	Fuel oil	Lubri-cating oils	Gas/ diesel oil	Fuel oil
					Aviation turbine fuel	Burning oil	Vaporising oil					
1964	788·4	0·5	42·7	68·2	17·7	32·8	3·3	311·7	258·2	45·5	60·6	347·6
1965	893·3	3·6	44·3	80·0	17·2	39·9	2·8	331·3	327·9	41·8	60·6	370·7
1966	1,037·1	2·2	39·5	94·4	17·7	42·0	3·4	368·6	410·7	48·3	61·4	350·4
1967	973·1	—	31·3	81·4	33·0	29·3	2·2	342·7	383·0	46·2	60·8	353·9
1968	1,187·1	—	22·0	71·8	43·9	32·7	2·5	421·3	520·6	51·1	59·9	378·3
1968 January	1,147·6	—	14·3	104·0	32·7	61·6	2·7	432·5	454·4	42·9	66·1	373·1
February	955·8	—	6·5	46·7	22·4	37·0	1·1	299·7	479·3	57·1	57·1	337·9
March	937·0	—	15·7	47·5	32·1	31·2	4·3	275·4	446·6	53·5	62·3	361·5
April	785·1	—	7·7	52·1	44·0	15·0	3·7	249·7	367·6	38·8	63·7	355·3
May	1,085·1	—	47·4	84·5	44·6	22·4	3·6	317·2	494·6	60·4	61·2	381·3
June	1,265·5	—	13·1	91·5	54·1	20·3	1·4	465·8	546·7	59·0	52·6	371·3
July	1,145·7	—	21·3	102·0	48·9	6·4	3·0	474·2	391·6	72·5	50·2	382·0
August	1,234·4	—	16·9	78·3	80·8	25·4	1·6	514·7	446·9	45·6	69·7	455·4
September	1,331·8	—	52·3	73·7	45·2	27·0	2·9	446·5	622·8	47·0	62·8	279·4
October	1,401·5	—	49·2	68·5	22·0	42·6	2·2	513·8	628·2	41·6	60·3	499·8
November	1,389·7	—	16·8	68·7	47·6	49·9	0·1	475·8	645·1	55·4	55·9	399·3
December	1,545·7	—	3·1	71·8	52·6	53·6	2·2	590·3	723·1	39·7	57·1	343·9
1969 January	1,476·1	—	10·1	56·1	24·2	25·3	0·6	626·5	663·5	46·0	60·3	409·6
February												
March												

(1) The term 'shipments' is used to distinguish the figures as recorded by exporters of oil from those published in the *Trade Accounts*.
(2) Including products not shown separately, namely gases, naphtha (light distillate feed-stock), bitumen and waxes.

Source: Ministry of Power

Deliveries of petroleum products for inland consumption

TABLE 63 — Monthly averages or calendar months — Thousand tons

	Total (1)	Aviation spirit and aviation wide-cut gasoline	Motor spirit	Indus-trial and white spirits	Kerosine			Gas/diesel oil		Fuel oil (2)	Lubri-cating oils	Bitu-men	Paraffin wax
					Aviation turbine fuel	Burning oil	Vapor-ising oil	Derv fuel	Other				
1964	4,758·6	53·7	834·3	31·0	138·2	122·3	12·3	303·0	500·1	2,067·1	90·1	124·3	4·9
1965	5,229·4	40·7	894·9	31·8	158·3	132·1	10·0	320·3	571·3	2,274·7	92·1	121·7	4·6
1966	5,662·5	35·5	943·5	29·3	179·7	137·5	8·2	336·7	632·2	2,424·6	94·8	128·3	4·6
1967	6,121·1	36·2	1,007·0	26·7	206·4	145·7	7·3	357·2	672·7	2,550·7	91·6	146·8	4·4
1968	6,478·8	37·1	1,067·3	30·1	226·7	163·9	6·2	381·4	752·1	2,551·0	94·3	152·4	4·6
1968 January	7,665·0	29·6	949·9	29·4	190·2	307·7	4·0	378·3	1,017·8	3,308·2	93·8	117·1	4·0
February	7,109·2	16·9	929·2	29·4	176·7	272·0	4·5	368·7	921·7	3,026·5	84·8	137·5	4·4
March	7,478·8	28·3	1,071·8	32·4	202·0	240·8	8·1	409·7	949·8	3,052·7	92·4	176·8	4·5
April	6,322·2	30·9	1,037·2	29·4	208·6	138·4	6·5	351·6	718·4	2,548·3	93·8	152·3	4·7
May	6,322·0	33·0	1,119·7	32·3	245·8	104·7	6·5	403·7	670·9	2,457·2	101·6	189·6	5·1
June	5,107·4	24·4	1,073·2	29·2	243·0	52·0	8·6	348·3	473·7	1,835·9	86·0	161·3	4·1
July	5,506·4	48·2	1,214·5	37·1	308·3	53·3	8·7	393·3	506·1	1,870·0	98·9	155·2	4·6
August	5,452·0	63·2	1,229·4	30·5	274·7	62·0	10·7	372·3	532·6	1,759·2	98·2	162·3	4·2
September	5,440·6	23·2	1,049·6	28·6	262·0	88·0	6·5	359·6	603·1	1,973·5	98·0	150·5	4·2
October	6,389·9	46·2	1,102·9	28·7	219·5	140·3	4·3	422·2	724·6	2,536·3	103·8	168·7	5·7
November	7,370·3	55·6	1,033·6	28·7	206·3	227·5	3·4	403·6	922·3	3,102·0	97·8	144·2	4·8
December	7,581·9	45·2	996·5	25·5	183·8	280·5	2·5	365·8	984·0	3,141·6	84·5	112·8	4·2
1969 January	7,871·8	30·1	1,003·8	31·1	197·6	310·8	3·7	400·6	1,052·5	3,318·8	102·2	117·8	5·4
February(3)	7,544·1	33·8	891·0	29·4	177·0	326·2	2·8	363·7	1,038·0	3,117·0	89·0	90·0	5·0
March													

(1) Including products not shown separately. These are analysed in Table 64. Excluding fuel consumed by refineries.
(2) Excluding refinery consumption.
(3) Provisional.

Source: Ministry of Power

Analysis of inland deliveries of gases, feedstock and motor spirit

TABLE 64 — Monthly averages or calendar months — Thousand tons

	Gases			Feedstock		Motor spirit			
	Butane and propane		Other gases for gas works(1)	For petroleum chemical plant	Naphtha (L.D.F.) for gas works	Dealers(2)		Commercial consumers(2)	
	For gas works	Other uses				5, 4 and 3 Star (3)	Other (2Star) (4)	5, 4 and 3 Star (3)	Other (2 Star (4)
1964	44·6	19·5	40·3	260·6	112·3	559·6	162·2	53·3	59·2
1965	58·6	25·0	43·7	277·5	172·1	590·8	191·9	56·0	56·2
1966	76·0	33·0	47·0	302·2	249·4	634·5	200·9	57·0	51·1
1967	74·0	30·7	48·4	384·3	331·0	682·7	221·2	57·9	45·2
1968	65·9	31·4	44·7	445·2	424·5	720·6	253·7	54·9	38·1
1968 January	94·3	37·3	59·8	468·6	575·0	649·2	208·8	54·0	37·9
February	87·5	37·0	59·0	381·0	572·4	639·5	202·2	51·2	36·3
March	75·9	38·6	55·7	497·3	542·0	724·7	242·6	63·6	40·9
April	69·5	28·2	42·6	389·5	472·3	691·2	261·3	49·5	35·2
May	65·7	30·4	36·8	442·3	376·7	736·9	282·4	59·1	41·3
June	54·7	13·3	32·5	434·4	232·8	722·5	261·9	51·4	37·4
July	44·5	30·0	37·0	448·2	248·5	817·9	292·2	61·1	43·3
August	41·5	29·6	31·2	478·2	272·2	843·3	293·2	55·6	37·3
September	43·3	33·1	38·7	417·2	261·5	719·8	247·5	48·2	34·1
October	55·6	31·0	42·5	416·5	341·1	747·6	256·1	59·1	40·1
November	77·2	33·4	47·0	445·0	537·9	699·9	243·2	53·3	37·2
December	81·3	34·5	53·8	523·5	662·0	655·5	252·9	52·6	35·5
1969 January	75·5	41·8	49·5	480·9	649·7	668·7	237·4	58·8	38·9
February(5)	86·7	40·7	55·8	473·7	724·3	599·1	208·7	49·4	33·8
March									

(1) Excluding natural gas.
(2) From January 1968 agency pick-up sales are included under dealers, and not as previously under commercial consumers. These sales amounted to 5·4 thousand tons (5, 4 and 3 star) and 5·6 thousand tons (other) in January 1968.
(3) From January 1967, all finished motor spirit with an octane number (research method) not less than 94. The figures relate to Premier grades prior to January 1967.
(4) The figures relate to Standard grades prior to January 1967.
(5) Provisional.

Source: Ministry of Power

Analysis of inland deliveries of gas/diesel and fuel oils(1)

TABLE 65 — Monthly averages or calendar months — Thousand tons

	Total	Electricity generation	Gas making	Railways	Steel manufacture	Other industrial uses	Agriculture and forestry	Marine	Non-industrial central heating				
									Private houses	Other dwellings	Shops, offices and catering establishments	Schools and hospitals	Other
1964	2,567·2	491·4	39·2	70·0	342·4	1,098·8	79·2	91·1	36·9	17·6	90·8	91·8	118·0
1965	2,846·0	544·7	41·9	76·3	383·5	1,228·3	81·5	94·2	40·7	17·8	99·5	100·3	137·3
1966	3,056·8	636·3	37·7	77·8	373·7	1,339·9	79·2	93·4	41·7	14·9	99·6	112·8	149·8
1967	3,223·4	649·0	43·8	79·3	377·4	1,432·4	84·5	91·3	40·7	17·7	112·0	128·3	167·0
1968	3,303·0	566·8	34·2	85·2	390·4	1,526·4	95·9	83·6	43·5	21·8	131·0	147·6	176·6
1968 January	4,326·0	696·6	73·9	102·7	441·2	2,001·5	99·9	88·0	71·8	32·2	204·0	220·1	294·1
February	3,948·2	591·9	55·9	90·5	410·3	1,805·5	109·9	84·6	71·0	32·1	205·3	219·4	271·8
March	4,002·5	633·5	48·8	93·7	416·0	1,835·4	126·4	77·9	66·6	30·3	192·6	215·0	266·3
April	3,266·7	537·4	33·4	88·9	374·7	1,483·6	115·9	73·8	49·7	23·6	129·3	155·6	200·8
May	3,128·1	490·6	29·8	87·9	403·1	1,461·8	97·1	83·1	39·5	17·3	120·6	135·6	161·7
June	2,309·6	435·0	19·1	67·2	344·2	1,064·9	69·9	77·6	25·5	10·0	56·9	64·4	74·9
July	2,376·1	462·8	22·0	70·1	345.7	1,080·9	62·7	87·9	18·4	9·9	72·6	71·0	72·1
August	2,291·8	386·6	18·9	76·1	336·3	1,095·4	77·1	84·1	18·9	10·6	59·5	63·9	64·4
September	2,576·6	494·8	18·9	72·8	344·6	1,206·3	93·9	82·2	22·4	12·3	67·0	80·1	81·3
October	3,260·9	556·8	20·8	85·5	415·3	1,537·9	99·8	88·1	32·4	19·3	118·5	135·2	151·3
November	4,024·3	713·8	32·0	92·9	430·7	1,913·0	98·8	92·5	46·1	31·4	156·2	191·4	225·5
December	4,125·6	801·8	37·2	94·6	423·2	1,833·4	98·9	82·8	60·1	34·2	189·7	219·1	250·6
1969 January	4,371·3	664·3	38·9	103·0	475·4	2,048·1	102·0	87·2	70·2	40·0	210·3	238·5	293·4
February													
March													

(1) Excluding derv fuel.

Source: Ministry of Power

VIII. CHEMICALS

Fertilizers

TABLE 66 — Monthly averages or calendar months — Thousand tons

	Production(1)				Home deliveries(1)			Deliveries of nitrogen for export (1)	Compounds(2)		Home deliveries of liming materials (3)
	P_2O_5 (phosphate)										
	Total	Single superphosphate	Basic slag	N (nitrogen)	P_2O_5 (phosphate)	N (nitrogen)	K_2O (potash)		Production	Home deliveries	
1963 Years ended 31 June	34·0	9·7	8·8	42·1	36·7	44·4	34·1	5·8	231·7	227·6	501·9
1964 Years ended 31 June	35·1	8·3	9·2	46·1	39·0	48·0	35·0	6·5	238·6	239·3	505·2
1965 Years ended 31 June	37·0	7·9	9·9	49·9	39·3	49·4	34·2	8·3	229·9	234·5	490·9
1966 Years ended 31 May	35·0	6·8	6·8	54·6	35·7	56·6	34·2	6·2	225·9	227·1	425·7
1967 Years ended 31 May	34·1	6·0	7·0	60·0	37·1	62·4	35·3	7·8	233·4	237·0	441·5
1968 Years ended 31 May	36·2	5·7	7·2	70·1	36·9	74·5	37·7	10·0	241·2	234·7	377·3
1966 January	36·7	5·8	7·0	61·7	35·1	60·8	29·9	5·8	221·3	212·6	315·1
February	35·7	6·6	5·8	52·0	39·5	65·2	41·1	3·6	231·4	261·9	265·9
March	38·1	8·0	7·8	59·8	62·3	69·6	40·3	7·6	288·3	430·3	266·4
April	33·9	7·4	5·2	50·1	34·0	53·1	36·2	4·6	246·0	223·7	236·8
May	37·0	7·0	9·4	53·4	31·1	49·2	25·3	5·4	194·7	162·2	587·3
June	35·2	5·5	6·3	57·1	46·6	56·9	34·0	2·2	232·4	321·0	660·1
July	34·5	5·2	6·5	54·9	40·0	54·6	30·5	8·6	233·4	277·7	522·4
August	28·9	4·9	4·9	61·4	28·0	54·3	25·4	9·4	192·7	181·6	558·4
September	29·2	6·8	6·3	51·2	29·9	50·1	32·8	10·1	213·9	172·1	546·2
October	31·1	7·2	6·3	55·2	25·6	50·4	40·5	5·5	206·2	142·9	531·4
November	32·8	6·2	6·4	62·7	28·4	53·5	29·9	6·2	211·4	165·0	438·2
December	29·5	5·3	3·6	61·2	26·6	51·6	29·2	8·3	216·0	188·0	409·6
1967 January	36·9	5·8	8·6	60·8	39·5	71·8	42·5	12·5	238·8	238·2	217·9
February	36·6	6·4	8·6	54·8	43·3	70·6	36·1	7·1	219·0	270·5	229·9
March	37·1	6·2	8·0	67·9	68·0	88·6	46·8	10·7	304·5	490·3	224·5
April	39·4	6·3	9·4	60·4	46·5	75·0	40·2	9·1	285·2	285·9	369·0
May	37·5	6·2	9·0	72·7	23·3	71·2	35·8	3·5	247·5	110·8	590·2
June	34·7	6·0	7·2	68·2	46·9	67·5	33·8	10·7	244·2	325·3	525·3
July	36·4	4·2	6·0	71·4	44·6	75·2	35·1	12·9	241·7	311·7	339·4
August	31·0	4·4	4·2	66·8	29·3	67·5	30·8	7·1	197·4	194·6	320·5
September	37·0	6·5	6·8	68·0	34·0	72·7	32·5	10·4	222·2	208·8	337·7
October	32·8	7·9	6·9	68·2	33·2	70·9	40·8	3·1	232·5	206·9	478·3
November	32·1	4·7	5·0	63·5	26·8	70·3	39·2	4·3	213·8	178·0	555·7
December	30·1	4·2	5·6	69·9	31·7	74·1	33·8	15·6	216·8	211·2	375·0
1968 January	35·7	4·5	7·0	67·3	33·7	80·0	42·9	14·4	240·8	201·2	294·8
February	38·6	6·4	8·9	63·8	38·9	75·5	38·2	12·5	263·4	233·2	163·6
March	44·6	7·2	11·6	73·3	58·5	91·5	44·4	11·8	312·3	390·2	186·5
April	37·9	6·8	8·0	83·7	42·5	85·1	40·9	7·9	254·8	250·2	415·2
May	43·6	6·2	9·5	77·4	22·7	64·2	40·1	9·2	255·0	104·9	535·4
June	34·7	4·3	7·0	79·0	50·5	83·1	32·4	5·0	239·1	346·5	400·2
July	38·0	3·8	6·9	67·2	50·5	79·5	40·8	12·3	247·9	331·7	425·4
August	38·7	4·5	5·8	77·7	29·6	68·7	33·4	10·9	212·9	184·8	256·4
September	36·1	6·1	6·0	64·8	28·3	65·4	37·6	12·3	235·6	169·1	306·6
October	36·8	7·1	5·4	74·3	30·0	71·6	43.6	16·2	237·8	168·0	541·8
November	35·1	5·3	5·9	74·6	29·7	67·6	39·0	7·9	229·1	177·4	373·4
December	36·3	4·8	4·9	71·6	31·0	74·4	32·3	13·2	206·3	194·7	179·2
1969 January	31·8	4·7	6·6	77·2	30·0	78·7	41·5	10·0	250·0	188·8	358·8
February											135·0
March											146·0

(1) Nutrient content.
(2) Total weight of compound fertilizers.
(3) Total weight of materials specified in applications paid during the month by the Grassland and Crop Improvement Division, Branch B, for subsidy for lime deliveries to farms.

Sources: Board of Trade
Agricultural Departments

Sulphur and sulphuric acid

TABLE 67 — Production and consumption: monthly averages or calendar months — Stocks: end of period — Thousand tons

		Sulphur and other materials used for sulphuric acid manufacture								Sulphuric acid (as 100 per cent acid	
		Consumption					Stocks			Production	Consumption
		Sulphur	Pyrites	Spent oxide	Anhydrite	Zinc concentrates	Sulphur	Pyrites	Spent oxide		
1963		43·6	25·3	17·0	70·3	19·7	51·4	104·2	105·2	240·1	245·7
1964		49·9	24·0	17·0	78·6	21·4	85·4	60·7	83·5	261·3	264·2
1965		57·4	20·0	14·6	81·3	20·9	64·6	78·1	91·8	275·4	277·3
1966		53·0	19·9	14·3	81·6	21·2	80·0	92·1	101·2	259·8	273·9
1967		53·1	19·8	12·7	94·6	20·9	75·9	100·4	111·6	265·2	280.0
1968		55·0	18·1	9·5	104·8	26·7	77·3	108·8	125·9	273·5	300·2
1966	January	62·6	20·7	15·5	82·1	22·5	52·8	60·7	89·0	292·5	283·4
	February	51·9	20·6	13·9	78·1	19·5	51·4	74·1	90·3	253·3	267·1
	March	60·1	21·5	16·0	80·1	21·1	61·5	79·6	91·9	288·0	303·8
	April	54·7	22·4	15·4	83·1	24·5	45·7	73·4	91·5	272·8	274·6
	May	47·9	18·2	14·0	83·4	21·2	49·6	70·7	94·6	243·1	266·9
	June	52·7	16·6	14·2	79·0	22·5	56·1	71·6	94·4	251·4	278·7
	July	49·8	19·9	15·2	78·9	28·1	61·8	76·2	92·1	252·8	267·9
	August	46·2	18·0	13·1	81·9	18·1	73·0	101·3	90·3	231·8	249·4
	September	48·1	19·3	13·0	93·7	16·3	72·4	90·4	90·8	248·8	269·6
	October	49·5	20·7	13·5	72·4	18·7	70·6	97·1	94·0	242·5	272·4
	November	52·9	19·3	13·1	76·4	15·8	85·7	94·6	99·4	252·2	271·8
	December	59·2	21·9	14·6	90·2	25·5	80·0	92·1	101·2	288·9	281·7
1967	January	53·1	21·7	14·0	91·4	20·2	82·6	84·2	104·0	267·2	268·4
	February	49·4	19·6	13·4	84·2	18·4	73·6	88·7	108·3	249·4	269·9
	March	56·2	21·5	13·4	97·1	25·3	75·6	71·8	108·2	281·7	298·0
	April	51·0	18·6	12·5	83·8	19·8	79·7	75·9	111·5	252·1	276·0
	May	51·4	19·2	13·5	96·1	20·3	72·1	84·2	110·4	261·5	279·0
	June	55·7	20·0	13·1	106·8	21·7	84·6	86·9	112·1	280·8	287·3
	July	54·1	22·0	10·9	80·2	18·8	80·1	78·2	112·6	260·0	269·5
	August	48·8	16·4	11·1	95·7	18·5	92·0	91·2	114·8	244·3	252·4
	September	53·8	19·6	11·5	94·8	24·8	87·1	76·6	114·6	270·1	294·6
	October	52·6	18·8	12·5	97·5	18·3	86·3	83·7	117·0	260·9	284·7
	November	52·3	19·3	12·7	99·6	20·2	74·9	90·0	112·0	262·0	286·7
	December	59·1	20·6	14·0	108·1	25·0	75·9	100·4	111·6	292·5	292·9
1968	January	52·8	19·9	9·9	95·4	20·0	69·0	107·9	115·2	258·1	278·0
	February	53·2	16·9	10·0	112·3	22·4	67·0	107·1	115·9	267·2	290·2
	March	60·0	20·9	11·2	113·1	26·7	65·9	102·2	119·7	299·7	327·2
	April	53·0	17·4	9·5	113·9	24·0	64·7	113·5	111·3	270·7	290·0
	May	55·2	17·7	8·9	114·3	26·9	83·1	118·4	112·2	277·5	298·4
	June	52·6	20·1	9·4	110·1	30·6	82·0	104·3	114·1	275·3	307·9
	July	53·6	19·8	8·7	100·5	22·5	82·8	106·1	116·1	265·2	291·0
	August	50·5	16·9	9·4	95·8	25·5	90·5	114·9	116·9	253·4	282·6
	September	56·6	17·9	9·7	103·0	30·4	88·3	106·7	119·5	282·6	319·0
	October	56·4	16·9	8·9	82·2	27·9	71·8	101·3	122·0	260·5	300·5
	November	55·7	12·8	8·3	101·6	27·5	76·0	108·6	123·0	267·3	297·7
	December	60·0	20·0	9·9	115·2	36·1	77·3	108·8	125·9	304·9	320·2
1969	January	55·1	21·3	8·4	108·4	29·9	65·7	92·6	128·2	280·1	312·3
	February	48·3	18·6	8·6	101·8	35·7	73·3	96·7	129·8	256·9	286·1
	March										

Source: Board of Trade

Synthetic dyestuffs, colours, paint and varnish

TABLE 68

Quarterly averages or totals for quarters

	Synthetic dyestuffs	Colours				Paint and varnish(1)				
		Sales by manufacturers								
	Production	Total	Pigment dyestuffs (including toners)	Inorganic pigments	Other	Total	Emulsion paints and other water paints	Cellulose based paints, varnishes and lacquers(2)	Varnishes, lacquers and stains (other than cellulose) (3)	Other
	Thousand tons					Million gallons				
1962	7·32	16·5	1·4	4·7	10·4	21·9	3·7	2·0	1·8	14·5
1963	8·32	16·7	1·6	4·9	10·2	19·2	3·6	1·9	0·3	13·3
1964	9·67	18·1	1·6	5·3	11·2	20·4	3·9	2·1	0·3	14·1
1965	8·89	17·8	1·9	5·0	11·0	20·4	4·0	2·0	0·3	14·0
1966	8·04	16·8	2·1	4·9	9·8	20·5	4·2	1·9	0·3	14·1
1967	7·52	17·0	2·2	4·8	10·0	20·9	4·6	1·8	0·3	14·3
1968		18·1	2·5	5·1	10·6	22·1	5·0	1·9	0·3	14·9
1961 1st quarter	7·82	16·34	1·38	4·71	10·24	22·1	3·8	2·0	1·8	14·5
2nd quarter	7·60	17·36	1·32	5·12	10·92	24·6	4·1	2·2	1·9	16·4
3rd quarter	6·93	16·20	1·13	4·69	10·37	22·5	3·5	2·0	1·7	15·2
4th quarter	7·25	16·52	1·23	4·70	10·59	20·3	3·2	2·0	1·9	13·3
1962 1st quarter	7·57	16·69	1·23	4·81	10·65	21·2	3·6	2·0	1·7	13·9
2nd quarter	7·15	17·56	1·43	4·95	11·19	23·9	4·2	2·0	1·8	15·8
3rd quarter	7·00	15·94	1·39	4·61	9·96	22·6	3·7	2·0	1·7	15·1
4th quarter	7·55	15·85	1·44	4·71	9·69	19·9	3·1	2·0	1·7	13·0
1963 1st quarter	7·74	15·25	1·49	4·53	9·24	16·6	3·2	1·8	0·3	11·4
2nd quarter	7·84	16·52	1·54	5·00	9·99	21·5	4·3	1·9	0·3	14·9
3rd quarter	8·29	17·00	1·58	5·02	10·41	20·2	3·8	1·9	0·3	14·2
4th quarter	9·40	18·14	1·69	5·18	11·28	18·6	3·3	2·1	0·3	12·9
1964 1st quarter	10·05	17·57	1·62	5·15	10·80	19·2	3·8	2·0	0·3	13·2
2nd quarter	10·08	18·64	1·61	5·50	11·54	22·4	4·5	2·1	0·3	15·5
3rd quarter	8·92	17·81	1·55	5·13	11·13	21·1	4·0	2·0	0·3	14·8
4th quarter	9·62	18·32	1·70	5·27	11·36	18·9	3·4	2·1	0·4	13·0
1965 1st quarter	9·89	18·45	1·84	5·28	11·33	19·4	3·9	2·0	0·3	13·2
2nd quarter	9·12	18·44	1·90	5·00	11·55	22·4	4·7	2·1	0·4	15·2
3rd quarter	8·30	17·01	1·87	4·80	10·34	20·8	4·2	1·9	0·3	14·4
4th quarter	8·26	17·47	2·04	4·83	10·60	18·9	3·6	2·0	0·3	13·0
1966 1st quarter	7·98	17·55	2·13	4·91	10·51	20·3	4·3	2·0	0·3	13·7
2nd quarter	8·20	16·98	2·12	5·16	9·70	22·4	4·8	2·0	0·3	15·3
3rd quarter	7·70	16·18	2·05	4·53	9·60	21·2	4·2	1·8	0·3	14·9
4th quarter	8·29	16·58	2·09	4·91	9·58	18·1	3·6	1·8	0·3	12·4
1967 1st quarter	8·12	15·75	2·12	4·61	9·02	19·9	4·5	1·7	0·3	13·4
2nd quarter	7·49	18·02	2·26	5·19	10·58	22·9	5·0	1·9	0·3	15·7
3rd quarter	6·91	16·42	2·03	4·45	9·95	21·5	4·8	1·7	0·3	14·7
4th quarter	7·58	17·85	2·43	4·76	10·66	19·2	3·9	1·8	0·3	13·3
1968 1st quarter	7·93	18·43	2·60	5·22	10·62	21·2	4·7	1·9	0·3	14·3
2nd quarter	8·17	18·43	2·45	5·27	10·72	23·9	5·7	1·9	0·3	16·0
3rd quarter	7·37	17·94	2·34	5·15	10·46	22·6	5·2	1·8	0·3	15·3
4th quarter		17·77	2·60	4·69	10·47	20·6	4·6	1·8	0·2	13·9

(1) Before 1963 figures for paint and varnish relate to sales by manufacturers employing more than 10 persons in 1954, but from 1963 to sales by manufacturers employing 25 or more persons at the beginning of that year.

(2) From January 1963 including clear solutions and pigmented cellulose paints.

(3) From January 1963 the figures relate to spirit-based varnishes, lacquers and stains only.

Source: Board of Trade

Synthetic resins and plastics materials

TABLE 69 Production: quarterly averages or totals for quarters Stocks: end of period Thousand tons

	Synthetic resins					Plastic materials			
	Production			Stocks		Production		Stocks	
	Total	Thermo-setting	Thermo-plastic	Thermo-setting	Thermo-plastic	Thermo-setting	Thermo-plastic	Thermo-setting	Thermo-plastic
1964	217·4	72·2	145·2	14·7	84·3	25·0	52·3	11·3	23·8
1965	235·6	78·0	157·6	16·9	98·5	24·1	53·3	12·2	24·2
1966	250·2	79·0	171·2	18·3	102·6	23·5	56·5	13·0	22·8
1967	272·7	80·4	192·5	17·8	108·0	22·8	62·1	12·1	26·7
1968	310·7	88·6	218·3	19·7	98·4	25·3	69·1	12·1	29·0
1966 1st quarter ...	252·3	83·5	168·8	17·5	100·3	26·0	57·5	12·6	24·1
2nd quarter ...	251·1	83·2	167·9	17·9	96·5	25·4	59·1	13·5	25·5
3rd quarter ...	243·7	74·8	168·9	18·7	99·7	20·7	56·6	13·4	25·8
4th quarter ...	254·0	74·6	179·4	18·3	102·6	21·9	52·9	13·0	22·8
1967 1st quarter ...	268·6	80·4	188·2	17·1	108·4	23·5	59·4	12·0	24·0
2nd quarter ...	276·1	84·1	192·0	18·4	107·1	23·9	64·0	12·8	26·8
3rd quarter ...	257·8	75·5	182·3	17·5	108·0	19·7	59·6	12·3	25·6
4th quarter ...	288·2	81·7	206·5	17·8	108·0	24·0	65·1	12·1	26·7
1968 1st quarter ...	297·2	90·0	207·1	19·1	96·9	26·0	69·7	11·5	28·0
2nd quarter ...	305·8	87·0	214·9	18·4	95·8	25·3	67·8	11·8	28·1
3rd quarter ...	311·9	83·0	224·5	18·0	108·3	23·0	64·5	11·4	27·4
4th quarter ...	328·5	94·6	230·3	19·7	98·4	26·9	74·3	12·1	29·0

Source: Board of Trade

TABLE 70

Other miscellaneous products

	Matches			Industrial ethyl alcohol(1)	Penicillin(2)	Soap	Synthetic detergents
	Total	Home-produced	Imported				Net sales
	Quantities duty-paid			Production			Quarterly averages or totals for quarters
	Monthly averages or calendar months				Weekly averages		
	Million short standards(3)			Million proof gallons	Kilograms	Thousand tons	
1963...	1·29	0·77	0·52	5·37	4,965	7·69	80·5
1964...	1·27	0·79	0·48	5·56	4,867	7·72	84·3
1965...	1·24	0·77	0·47	5·68	5,146	6·79	87·5
1966...	1·19	0·75	0·44	4·98	7,014	6·68	91·3
1967...	1·15	0·72	0·43	4·59	9,148	6·24	96·8
1968...	1·11	0·70	0·41	4·67		6·05	103·5
1968 January	1·18	0·67	0·51	4·01	6,612	6·74	
February	1·25	0·83	0·42	4·09	7,512	6·65	103·8
March	1·21	0·75	0·46	4·38	5,996	6·32	
April	1·18	0·89	0·29	4·65	4,617	7·11	
May	0·72	0·32	0·40	5·06	6,682	6·55	102·1
June	1·10	0·70	0·41	4·20	7,526	5·94	
July	1·01	0·64	0·37	4·21	7,903	6·70	
August	1·20	0·77	0·43	5·90	8,001	5·01	104·9
September	1·08	0·70	0·38	5·44	7,320	5·48	
October	1·10	0·65	0·45	5·40	10,667	6·80	
November	1·26	0·80	0·46	4·79	10,040	6·09	103·1
December	1·01	0·70	0·31	3·97	10,562	3·84	
1969 January	1·13	0·64	0·49	5·60	10,627	6·77	
February	1·08	0·74	0·34	4·33	11,924	5·60	
March...					9,263		

(1) Industrial ethyl alcohol made from molasses and derived from other processes.
(2) Figures include estimates computed from figures for calendar months.
(3) A 'short standard' is 7,200 matches.

Sources: H.M. Customs and Excise
Ministry of Health
Board of Trade

IX. METALS, ENGINEERING AND VEHICLES

Iron and steel

TABLE 71 — Weekly averages — Stocks: end of period — Thousand tons

	Iron ore(1)		Pig iron				Scrap		Iron castings	Crude steel		Finished steel		
				Consumption									Stocks	
	Production	Consumption of imported iron ore	Production	Steel-making	Iron works and iron foundries(2)	Stocks (3)	Consumption (4)	Stocks (4)	Production	Production (5)	Stocks (6)	Net deliveries (7)	Consumers'	Merchants'
1963	287	275	281	256	30	767	224	745	70·4	433	3,510	332·8	3,157	599
1964(8) ...	308	332	326	295	33	851	252	943	78·3	495	3,679	383·3	3,541	630
1965	296	345	336	309	33	698	268	917	78·5	519	3,602	388·7	3,759	641
1966	263	310	302	275	30	724	244	914	74·4	468	3,180	365·7	3,348	595
1967	245	292	291	268	26	649	243	760	68·2	460	3,315	364·9	3,097	591
1968	264	326	316	291	25	642	263	836	68·4	497	3,594	398·1	3,213	598
1966 April ...	241	349	320	288	32	711	250	961	77·7	486	3,446	385·8	..	..
May ...	241	350	322	291		706	263	989		501	3,439	390·2	..	..
June ...	261*	314*	307*	281*		698	255*	1,000		482*	3,405	368·0*	3,650	608
July ...	270	274	283	246	27	766	191	1,071	66·6	393	3,409	325·2	..	..
August	255*	280*	286*	265*		745	228*	1,036		442*	3,481	317·3*	..	..
September	289	294	305	296		679	262	1,015		504	3,422	408·3	3,528	594
October	256	316	308	291	29	652	259	948	72·6	496	3,442	381·9	..	..
November	245*	290*	287*	263*		645	237*	934		451*	3,273	359·6*	..	..
December	237	260	260	216		724	189	914		364	3,180	313·2	3,348	595
1967 January	253	270	280	259	27	728	239	853	71·2	446	3,094	369·3	..	..
February	273	297	307	289		687	260	771		495	3,132	379·1	..	..
March ...	260*	310*	304*	281*		672	252*	713		479*	3,145	362·7*	3,263	586
April ...	260	314	315	286	27	665	256	716	71·3	489	3,174	396·9	..	..
May ...	250*	321*	309*	277*		705	248*	733		472*	3,212	363·0*	..	..
June ...	236	300	296	276		671	246	774		470	3,175	392·9	3,137	581
July ...	206	273	260	226	22	731	191	810	60·3	375	3,111	332·3	..	..
August	204*	271*	263*	237*		729	213*	773		402*	3,250	286·5*	..	..
September	259	286	294	278		708	261	775		484	3,291	388·7	3,063	579
October	242	279	284	273	25	656	266	759	69·9	484	3,286	389·1	..	..
November	243*	298*	302*	288*		593	267*	750		499*	3,253	386·7*	..	..
December	259	278	281	244		649	218	760		416	3,315	349·4	3,097	591
1968 January	279*	293*	295*	275*	25	625	253*	740	70·6	475*	3,354	371·5*	..	..
February	276	275	287	272		564	258	749		477	3,297	408·1	..	..
March	284	287	295	275		526	267	757		488	3,260	406·9	3,082	596
April ...	274	318	318	300	25	499	272	713	68·6	515	3,370	404·8	..	..
May ...	293*	334*	330*	308*		491	278*	726		528*	3,409	412·7*	..	..
June ...	252	349	329	297		514	266	734		508	3,459	401·9	3,088	592
July ...	229*	313*	293*	256*	23	624	205*	810	62·2	412*	3,378	349·6*	..	..
August	259	334	320	281		685	243	844		469	3,415	379.0	..	..
September	255	345	331	307		670	282	839		529	3,502	405·7	3,076	581
October	267*	354*	336*	312*	28	658	285*	851	72·3	536*	3,446	422·0*	..	..
November	262	367	343	325		615	295	840		555	3,521	436·6	..	..
December	233	340	319	285		642	255	836		486	3,594	387·9	3,213	598
1969 January	254*	348*	318*	300*		539	283*	769		521*	3,584	419·8*	..	..
February	198	370	337	322		490	298	673		556	3,519	433·0	..	..
March ...		350	332	319		415		663		550				

(1) The iron content of home produced iron ore is about 28 per cent and of imported iron ore about 60 per cent.
(2) Excluding consumption of refined and cylinder iron made otherwise than in blast furnaces.
(3) At steel works, steel foundries and blast furnaces.
(4) At steel works and steel foundries.
(5) Ingots, metal for continuously cast blooms, billets and slabs, and metal for castings.
(6) Stocks at producers' works of alloy and non-alloy ingots, semi-finished and finished steel in terms of ingot equivalent.
(7) Including imports (and material for manufacture of drop forgings) but excluding deliveries of all materials for intra-industry conversion.
(8) 53 week period. *Average of five weeks.

Source: Ministry of Power

Supplies and deliveries of steel

TABLE 72 — Weekly averages — Thousand tons (ingot equivalent)

	Crude steel production		Deliveries to (−) or from (+) producers' stocks	Re-usable material	Imports	Total supplies	Exports	Home deliveries
	Total	Alloy						
1964(1)	494·9	36·2	− 3·0	4·7	38·2	534·8	89·1	445·7
1965	519·3	37·5	− 2·0	4·8	14·5	536·6	90·9	445·7
1966	467·6	33·9	+ 8·1	4·9	22·1	502·7	86·1	416·6
1967	459·5	30·3	− 3·0	4·5	36·7	497·7	95·0	402·7
1968	497·4	36·0	− 5·7	3·8	48·1	543·6	104·1	439·5
1968 *January	474·7	34·5	− 7·7	4·0	52·8	523·8	89·8	434·0
February	477·1	38·1	+14·2	3·5	58·7	553·5	94·8	458·7
March	488·3	39·1	+ 9·2	3·4	44·1	545·0	109·3	435·7
April	515·0	36·5	−27·6	3·0	56·8	547·2	100·2	447·0
*May	528·2	38·9	− 7·8	3·8	47·9	572·1	108·6	463·5
June	507·9	31·8	−12·4	4·3	44·8	544·6	118·0	426·6
*July	412·0	25·7	+16·0	3·8	46·1	477·9	111·0	366·9
August	468·7	32·9	− 9·2	3·4	38·2	501·1	103·0	398·1
September	529·3	39·7	−21·6	4·2	45·5	557·4	89·9	467·5
*October	535·7	38·9	+ 11·2	4·2	53·3	604·4	101·4	503·0
November	555·2	42·0	− 18·9	4·0	39·3	579·6	132·5	447·1
December	485·8	35·6	− 18·5	3·8	50·3	521·4	85·8	435·6
1969 *January	520·9	38·2	+ 1·9	3·7	56·8	583·3	77·7	505·6
February	556·3	40·9	+ 16·2	3·2	48·6	624·3	72·4	551·9
March	550·3	40·0						

(1) Average of 53 weeks.
* Average of five weeks.

Source: Ministry of Power

Production of finished steel

TABLE 73 — Weekly averages — Thousand tons

	Heavy rails, sleepers, etc.	Heavy and medium plates	Other heavy steel products	Hot rolled strip	Wire rods (1)	Other light rolled products	Cold rolled strip	Sheets coated and uncoated (1)	Tin and blackplate	Tubes, pipes and fittings (1)	Tyres, wheels and axles	Steel castings
1964(2)	6·9	63·2	53·1	34·9	31·8	66·1	11·2	76·1	22·4	27·0	1·7	5·7
1965	7·6	61·0	56·6	34·6	33·6	69·9	10·6	80·3	23·3	29·5	2·1	6·0
1966	5·3	59·7	47·4	32·3	30·8	60·4	10·2	77·0	23·4	28·8	1·7	5·5
1967	5·1	57·3	48·7	30·4	30·9	56·3	9·4	72·7	23·8	26·6	1·5	4·7
1968	5·0	62·6	50·8	34·8	37·3	57·5	11·3	82·6	24·1	27·4	1·6	4·9
1968 *January	4·9	52·1	46·0	34·8	34·5	54·3	10·5	80·9	24·3	23·9	1·6	5·0
February	4·8	58·7	50·3	37·3	36·2	61·0	11·5	76·9	23·9	29·0	1·6	
March	4·6	61·9	49·3	37·8	39·2	60·4	11·6	79·9	24·0	28·5	1·6	
April	5·9	60·1	51·8	36·2	34·9	58·5	11·6	76·7	22·8	28·1	1·5	5·1
*May	5·9	64·1	51·2	37·4	44·0	58·0	12·0	80·1	26·1	28·2	1·5	
June	5·5	59·5	55·1	37·1	36·1	61·5	11·7	89·3	25·5	29·1	1·5	
*July	3·3	52·0	38·8	27·2	35·5	45·9	9·3	74·0	21·2	24·3	1·2	4·8
August	4·2	58·9	42·4	26·2	34·8	56·3	10·5	83·4	18·3	23·1	1·4	
September	6·1	73·3	57·7	31·0	35·8	59·1	12·2	85·7	25·1	29·6	1·6	
*October	4·9	71·9	57·1	39·6	39·5	56·4	10·8	95·4	26·8	30·6	1·9	5·4
November	5·3	75·9	59·7	37·9	40·7	66·9	13·8	89·1	27·3	28·2	1·7	
December	4·4	65·2	52·2	34·2	35·4	55·1	9·7	80·1	23·3	29·6	1·5	
1969 *January	4·2	66·6	56·5	37·2	39·3	61·0	11·8	94·4	26·5	26·9	1·4	
February	4·3	70·0	58·0	35·6	43·8	64·5	12·6	92·6	25·9	30·6	1·6	
March												

(1) Deliveries.
(2) Average of 53 weeks.
* Average of five weeks.

Source: Ministry of Power

Copper and zinc

TABLE 74 — Monthly averages or calendar months Stocks: end of period — Thousand tons

	Copper								Zinc			
	Production		Home consumption		Stocks		Production (1)			Home consumption		Stocks
	Virgin refined	Secondary refined	Virgin and secondary refined	Scrap (metal content)	Blister	Refined (2)	Semi-manufactures	Castings and miscellaneous uses	Slab production	Slab	Other (metal content) (3)	Slab (4)
1964	9·2	10·9	51·9	12·9	40·5	130·7	68·1	7·3	9·11	23·6	7·4	75·5
1965	8·4	12·6	53·3	12·8	33·7	173·3	69·0	7·2	8·76	22·8	7·0	92·4
1966	3·6	13·4	48·6	11·6		30·8	63·5	6·3	8·31	22·0	6·2	95·9
1967	2·9	11·7	41·6	11·6		22·5	56·0	5·8	8·57	21·0	5·9	19·1
1968			44·3			31·5			11·47			18·6
1968 January	5·1	12·3	47·6	8·0		21·3	59·8	5·7	10·2	22·7	6·6	19·5
February	3·9	13·3	43·0	10·5		16·8	57·5	5·6	9·3	21·8	6·7	19·6
March	2·8	16·7	46·3	9·9		19·5	60·1	5·7	14·2	23·0	6·7	23·3
April	2·7	12·6	39·6	11·3		19·0	54·8	5·5	11·9	20·3	6·8	21·7
May	4·0	14·2	48·4	10·1		24·5	62·5	6·2	11·0	23·3	6·9	20·9
June	5·3	14·4	44·5	9·0		19·7	56·3	6·1	9·8	21·7	6·5	17·3
July	6·2	11·0	43·9	10·9		27·9	58·9	5·6	10·9	21·2	6·8	16·6
August	1·4	10·1	29·5	12·4		37·3	43·6	6·4	12·5	18·9	4·6	18·9
September	3·7	13·7	47·8	10·7		33·2	61·4	6·4	10·2	24·4	6·4	19·8
October	5·2	14·8	49·4	13·5		38·8	67·1	6·4	13·3	27·5	6·4	17·6
November	5·7	12·0	46·4	14·0		36·8	65·2	6·4	12·8	25·2	6·2	16·5
December	3·0	10·5	45·4	12·0		31·5	60·7	6·0	11·5	21·9	5·8	18·6
1969 January	4·3	9·9	44·5	13·1		24·7	62·3	6·1	10·4	25·2	6·5	16·6
February	4·2	9·8	46·5	10·7		27·2	61·4	6·1	12·1	25·6	6·3	17·6
March												

(1) Copper and copper alloys. (2) From January 1966, only stocks held by consumers and in L.M.E. warehouses. (3) Including scrap. (4) From May, 1967 the figures are restricted to stocks held by consumers and L.M.E. warehouses.

Sources: Board of Trade
World Bureau of Metal Statistics

Lead, tin and aluminium

TABLE 75 — Monthly averages or calendar months Stocks: end of period — Thousand tons

	Lead						Tin				Aluminium			
		Home consumption			Stocks						Production		Despatches to consumers	
	Production of English refined (1)	Imported virgin (2)	English refined	Scrap (metal content)	Imported virgin	English refined	Production (3)	Home consumption	Exports and re-exports (4)	Stocks	Virgin (5)	Secondary (6)	Virgin (5)	Secondary (6)
1964	10·06	16·5	8·7	9·8	25·0	12·3	1·61	1·78	0·56	3·3	2·64	14·1	29·5	14·2
1965	10·45	16·1	9·5	10·1	34·6	11·8	1·53	1·73	0·57	2·4	2·97	14·6	29·8	14·6
1966	9·23	16·7	7·3	9·9	29·6	21·0	1·56	1·64	0·50	3·4	3·05	15·1	30·3	14·8
1967	10·31	14·1	8·6	9·6	18·3	24·9	2·13	1·60	0·78	6·1	3·20	14·7	29·6	15·6
1968	11·93				56·8	11·7	2·15	1·60		9·7	3·17	15·4	32·4	16·6
1968 January	10·74	16·2	6·9	9·7	27·4	25·3	2·10	1·76	0·88	4·7	3·02	13·0	31·5	15·6
February	11·06	15·3	7·2	9·4	22·0	23·8	2·25	1·53	0·95	4·9	3·07	17·6	33·2	15·7
March	12·19	18·0	6·2	10·3	20·1	26·0	1·07	1·50	1·20	4·9	2·86	16·5	31·1	19·9
April	10·61	13·0	6·8	9·0	23·2	26·3	1·48	1·47	1·31	5·8	3·73	15·1	28·3	15·2
May	14·47	18·2	6·5	9·6	23·5	31·5	2·87	1·83	0·18	6·6	3·06	15·1	37·0	17·0
June	11·32	15·3	7·3	8·7	21·5	30·5	1·30	1·52	0·63	6·9	3·70	15·6	32·6	15·6
July	12·17	15·7	6·4	7·9	27·6	26·0	2·09	1·59	0·82	7·3	3·21	16·3	26·6	15·9
August	12·01	12·4	6·4	8·3	29·5	30·0	2·88	1·39	0·31	8·7	3·11	10·5	34·3	11·1
Sept.	12·44	15·5	8·3	8·0	25·7	34·4	2·42	1·57	1·15	9·5	2·97	15·9	34·0	16·1
October	13·17	14·0	10·3	8·9	58·9	11·1	2·65	1·90	0·35	9·3	2·35	13·7	32·2	18·3
Nov.	12·56	16·4	8·0	9·5	64·1	11·8	2·33	1·63	1·81	9·1	2·84	19·3	27·4	22·2
Dec.	10·44	13·4	7·5	8·2	56·8	11·7	2·38	1·47	0·74	9·7	3·65	16·4	36·2	16·3
1969 January	11·9	13·7	10·9	6·5	58·1	12·5	2·52	1·85	1·26	9·6	2·81	16·6	40·8	19·1
February	11·3	9·5	9·8	9·2	65·5	14·7	1·90	1·53	0·28	9·3	2·78	16·0	33·9	18·0
March														

(1) Lead reclaimed from secondary and scrap material, and lead refined from domestic ores. (2) Including lead imported for processing on toll. (3) Including production from imported scrap and residues refined on toll. (4) Including toll transactions. (5) Including the pure content of virgin alloys. (6) Excluding virgin content used in the production of secondary metal.

Sources: Board of Trade
World Bureau of Metal Statistics
Aluminium Federation

Deliveries of mechanical and electrical engineering products(1)

TABLE 76

£ million

	1966	1967	1968 (2)	1967		1968			
				3rd quarter	4th quarter	1st quarter	2nd quarter	3rd quarter (2)	4th quarter (2)
Machinery other than electrical:									
Agricultural machinery (excluding tractors)	53·9	49·0	56·8	11·5	9·9	14·4	15·3	14·5	12·6
Metal-working machine tools and welding machinery	166·6	170·1	169·7	40·7	42·5	42·9	38·1	42·5	46·2
Engineers' small tools and gauges	91·8	90·1	91·6	20·6	22·5	23·9	22·5	21·4	23·8
Internal combustion engines	64·4	69·3	80·7	15·0	18·4	19·6	19·4	21·3	20·4
Other prime movers	73·2	79·0	82·9	18·7	25·1	18·8	18·9	12·9	32·3
Textile machinery and accessories	110·6	113·9	126·3	26·9	30·6	30·2	29·6	28·5	38·0
Contractors' plant and quarrying machinery	143·5	157·6	192·6	37·0	40·7	45·7	48·9	45·3	52·7
Mechanical handling equipment	132·5	130·0	137·2	31·1	34·5	33·8	33·8	35·9	33·7
Office machinery	78·7	77·4	82·7	17·3	20·4	19·5	20·0	19·5	23·7
Mining machinery	61·2	69·0	62·4	17·4	16·4	16·5	16·2	14·1	15·6
Refrigerating machinery	53·5	54·4	64·0	12·8	11·9	16·3	17·8	17·2	12·7
Space-heating, ventilating and air-conditioning equipment	78·9	77·9	84·8	20·1	21·0	20·4	19·9	22·8	21·7
Pumps and industrial valves	144·0	151·1	161·8	34·8	39·0	40·1	39·8	37·9	44·0
Air and gas compressors and exhausters	44·4	44·5	46·1	10·8	10·8	12·2	11·6	10·5	11·8
Food and drink machinery	45·5	45·6	52·9	10·7	11·8	10·9	15·1	12·6	14·3
Packaging machinery	26·8	27·9	32·4	6·1	8·0	7·2	8·3	7·3	9·6
Steel and non-ferrous metal rolling mills and ancillary equipment	26·5	28·3	14·4	7·1	8·3	6·0	2·5	2·6	3·3
Other machinery except electrical machinery	309·3	307·8	343·3	71·3	83·0	84·4	83·9	79·6	95·4
Industrial plant and fabricated steelwork:									
Water tube boilers	91·7	90·3	89·8	18·5	28·0	20·2	25·8	20·0	23·8
Shell boilers and boilerhouse plant	48·1	46·9	47·8	11·1	12·6	9·8	12·6	11·5	13·9
Chemical plant	128·3	128·1	117·6	32·4	29·4	32·2	29·3	26·3	29·8
Iron, steel and non-ferrous metal works plant other than rolling mills	36·8	32·8	26·5	8·4	6·5	6·6	5·6	7·9	6·4
Other industrial plant and fabricated steelwork	222·4	231·2	211·1	54·0	58·6	53·7	54·8	42·7	59·9
Instruments, watches and clocks:									
Photographic equipment	95·3	100·4	122·6	25·0	25·4	30·7	33·1	30·9	27·9
Optical instruments	12·7	15·6	15·1	3·5	4·3	3·9	3·6	3·6	4·0
Spectacles, etc.	11·7	14·8	16·5	3·3	4·0	4·2	4·2	3·6	4·5
Surgical, dental and veterinary instruments and appliances	15·6	16·2	18·5	3·8	4·2	4·7	4·5	4·7	4·6
Other scientific instruments and equipment	106·2	109·6	121·7	25·8	30·0	31·0	28·4	29·0	33·3
Watches and clocks	15·5	16·1	17·0	4·2	4·7	4·1	3·6	4·5	4·8
Electrical machinery:									
Generating equipment and rotating electrical machines	156·0	161·1	173·8	35·9	42·5	45·4	40·9	37·0	50·5
Transformers for lighting, heating and power	69·1	69·7	61·5	15·7	18·1	16·3	15·1	14·7	15·4
Switchgear and control gear	197·9	198·9	187·2	45·3	50·5	49·3	47·2	43·7	47·0
Other electrical machinery	31·8	33·8	33·8	8·0	9·0	8·6	8·0	8·4	8·8
Insulated wires and cables	253·6	244·1	274·0	55·6	65·8	71·0	68·0	65·9	69·1
Telegraph and telephone apparatus	146·9	181·5	194·1	40·7	50·1	49·4	50·6	48·7	45·4
Radio and other electronic apparatus:									
Broadcast receiving equipment and gramophones	135·0	132·5	176·5	30·8	43·8	43·7	41·3	39·7	51·8
Radio, radar and electronic capital goods	318·6	379·9	459·7	96·9	105·7	103·1	120·3	110·8	125·5
Radio and electronic components including valves	166·0	176·2	209·4	40·6	46·0	49·0	51·7	52·3	56·4
Other electrical goods:									
Domestic electrical appliances	151·7	153·7	182·3	36·1	49·7	46·4	40·1	44·1	51·7
Electrical equipment for motor vehicles, cycles and aircraft	91·0	88·9	106·1	19·9	23·4	26·4	27·4	23·9	28·4
Primary batteries	21·3	22·8	25·0	5·9	6·6	6·6	5·4	5·9	7·1
Secondary batteries (accumulators)	35·5	36·4	39·5	8·7	10·9	9·6	9·1	9·3	11·5
Electric lamps	34·0	35·3	41·6	8·0	10·7	10·6	9·5	10·1	11·4
Miscellaneous electrical goods	106·2	105·5	118·8	23·7	28·1	29·3	28·8	28·0	32·7
Ball and roller bearings	62·1	64·9	68·1	14·4	16·6	17·3	16·6	16·2	18·0
Components not included above and sub-contract sales	302·9	295·9	328·7	67·9	76·4	80·8	83·4	78·8	85·7
Amount charged for work done on customers' materials and repair work	101·7	100·8	115·1	25·1	25·3	29·0	29·4	27·3	29·4

(1) Characteristic products of industries in Order VI of the Standard Industrial Classification, except ordnance and small arms. Excluding deliveries by the smallest firms which are estimated to be about 2 per cent of the total. In general, spare parts supplied by manufacturers of complete machines are included with these machines, but parts, other than those separately specified, supplied for assembly by makers of complete machines are included in the heading for sub-contract sales and components.

(2) Provisional.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Engineering industries: Index numbers of orders and deliveries(1)

TABLE 77

New orders and deliveries: monthly averages or calendar months Orders on hand: end of period

	Orders on hand			Net new orders			Deliveries		
	Total	Export	Home	Total	Export	Home	Total	Export	Home
	December 1958 = 100			Average 1958 deliveries = 100					
1963	135	144	131	139	143	137	126	134	123
1964	161	168	158	152	151	153	136	136	136
1965	163	172	161	145	146	145	143	142	143
1966	152	154	152	143	145	142	150	156	148
1967	141	162	134	144	155	141	151	150	152
1968	141	179	129	157	172	152	157	162	155
1967 1st quarter ...	149	151	149	144	150	142	152	158	149
2nd quarter ...	148	157	145	151	167	145	154	151	155
3rd quarter ...	146	163	141	137	148	134	141	135	143
4th quarter ...	141	162	134	146	153	143	159	154	161
1968 1st quarter ...	142	168	134	162	177	156	158	164	156
2nd quarter ...	138	164	129	146	152	144	157	160	156
3rd quarter ...	139	173	127	150	174	141	148	153	146
October ...	140	177	128	168	180	164	157	156	157
November ...	142	179	129	174	186	170	166	172	164
December ...	141	179	129	173	187	169	174	189	169
1969 January ...	145	185	132	184	218	173	155	172	149
February(2) ...	146	190	131	176	236	156	174	197	166
March									

(1) Including engineering and electrical goods (S.I.C. Order VI), locomotives and railway track equipment, railway carriages and wagons, heavy commercial vehicles and wheeled tractors. The index numbers (at average 1958 prices) are adjusted to allow for differences in length of calendar months but not for holidays or other seasonal variations.
(2) Provisional.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Deliveries of agricultural machinery

TABLE 78

Number

	Tractors		Tractor mould-board ploughs	Disc harrows	Corn drills(2)	Farm-yard manure spread-ers	Mowers	Pick-up balers	Combine har-vesters	Grain and grass driers	Milking machines	Total value (3)	For export (3)
	Agri-cultural types(1)	Market garden types										£ million	
1964	208,196	35,605	21,429	7,290	3,953	9,281	16,497	15,251	5,281	1,727	5,138	202·2	126·6
1965	198,848	28,958	19,379	6,464	3,995	9,154	16,025	16,728	5,243	2,444	4,685	206·5	128·5
1966	214,304	32,213	13,779	6,605	3,123	8,731	16,708	15,584	3,786	2,369	6,596	220·3	142·1
1967	186,582	31,119	9,375	5,272	3,077	7,931	16,120	12,021	2,719	1,593	7,073	200·3	117·7
1968													
1966 1st quarter ...	60,125	8,144	3,897	2,140	1,801	3,075	4,739	4,720	1,027	449	1,335	58·8	36·6
2nd quarter ...	54,001	9,914	2,126	1,078	169	1,228	7,926	4,651	1,107	785	1,346	58·4	36·0
3rd quarter ...	49,592	4,569	3,679	1,833	816	1,943	2,750	3,348	878	907	1,548	51·1	32·4
4th quarter ...	50,586	9,586	4,077	1,554	337	2,485	1,493	2,865	774	228	2,367	52·0	37·1
1967 1st quarter ...	51,184	8,327	1,984	2,223	1,478	2,188	5,337	3,327	815	233	1,663	54·8	33·6
2nd quarter ...	50,147	9,286	1,146	1,014	270	915	6,705	3,881	967	628	1,713	53·6	31·5
3rd quarter ...	40,399	4,393	3,187	922	633	2,010	2,372	1,863	604	627	1,728	44·8	24·2
4th quarter ...	44,852	9,113	3,058	1,113	696	2,818	1,706	2,950	333	105	1,969	47·1	28·4
1968 1st quarter ...	57,648	9,316	1,885	1,914	1,575	2,997	5,558	3,473	1,048	304	2,368	64·3	37·1
2nd quarter ...	47,559	7,634	1,100	480	247	1,363	7,194	4,422	1,240	380	1,858	63·9	39·1
3rd quarter ...	40,317	4,025	2,520	1,048	691	2,006	1,610	2,852	851	751	1,816	56·1	34·1
4th quarter ...													

(1) Includes all wheeled tractors as in Table 94 and an estimated number of track-laying tractors of 10 belt horse-power and over for agricultural use.
(2) Including combined seed and fertilizer drills.
(3) Ex-works value, including items not shown separately in preceding columns, and also parts and accessories.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Machine-tools and internal combustion engines

TABLE 79 — New orders and deliveries: monthly averages or calendar months — Orders on hand: end of period

	Metal-working machine tools(1)						Internal combustion engines(2)				
	Net new orders		Deliveries		Orders on hand		Complete engines				Parts and accessories
	Total	For export	Total	For export	Total	For export	Total deliveries			For export	Total deliveries
	Value £ thousand						Thousands	Thousand B.H.P.	Value £ thousand		
1964	11,605	3,181	10,142	3,150	86,573	29,527	31·1	880	6,442	3,047	1,898
1965(3) (4)... ...	13,142	3,567	11,774	3,659	104,195	28,860	30·0	930	6,876	3,531	2,023
1966(3)	12,056	3,678	12,425	3,628	100,582	29,481	27·5	848	6,495	3,354	2,273
1967	12,142	4,839	12,965	3,807	91,681	42,143	28·0	822	6,549	3,393	2,319
1968	13,911	5,020	12,834	4,421	105,494	49,095					
1967 1st quarter	10,088	3,674	13,612	4,075	90,998	28,563	28·3	881	7,028	3,687	2,374
2nd quarter	13,719	5,479	12,421	3,560	94,894	34,320	32·2	877	6,792	3,686	2,321
3rd quarter	12,977	6,415	12,630	3,635	95,936	42,659	24·8	695	5,555	2,754	2,140
4th quarter	11,781	3,788	13,200	3,960	91,681	42,143	26·7	835	6,822	3,444	2,442
1968 1st quarter	13,623	5,021	13,101	4,681	93,245	43,161	30·2	1,040	7,096	3,774	2,456
2nd quarter	12,531	4,327	11,350	3,981	96,786	44,201	28·8	1,041	6,822	4,102	2,436
3rd quarter	14,280	5,674	12,699	4,540	101,529	47,603	23·3	820	6,085	3,227	2,419
October ...	17,118	6,733	12,066	4,240	106,580	50,097					
November	13,404	3,838	12,916	4,511	107,069	49,423					
December	15,107	4,608	16,682	4,936	105,494	49,095					
1969 January ...	18,030(5)	7,546(5)	14,127(5)	3,902(5)	109,397(5)	52,739(5)					
February ...	14,691(5)	5,080(5)	12,272(5)	4,080(5)	111,817(5)	53,739(5)					
March ...											

(1) From 1964 onwards parts are included. (2) Excluding those for aircraft, road vehicles, wheeled and half-track tractors (other than heavy earth-moving types), fighting vehicles and heavy slow-speed engines for ship propulsion. (3) The estimated breakdown between home and export deliveries and net new orders has been revised to make the figures comparable with 1967 (when more complete information on this breakdown started to be collected). The estimates for earlier years are believed to be reasonable. (4) Between December 1964 and January 1965 there is a small increase (under 5 per cent) due to the inclusion of additional firms. (5) Provisional.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Deliveries of civil engineering contractors' plant

TABLE 80 — Monthly averages — £ thousand

	Earth-moving machinery including crawler tractor (1)		Concrete mixing and handling machinery		Asphalt and tarmacadam plant		Road rollers		Crushing, pulverising and screening plant	
	Total	For export	Total	For export	Total	For export	Total	For export	Total	For export
1964	10,275	5,072	1,097	211	722	343	383	148	812	195
1965	10,134	5,291	1,101	248	757	377	425	164	877	234
1966	10,001	5,297	909	223	776	353	379	175	802	239
1967	10,768	5,160	842	176	853	442	443	167	723	171
1968	13,856	6,816	968	221	1,058	677	476	154	729	222
1967 1st quarter	10,073	4,857	769	189	826	452	367	140	881	206
2nd quarter	11,944	5,442	944	165	902	497	564	207	716	182
3rd quarter	10,072	4,699	875	153	802	395	414	163	643	135
4th quarter	10,982	5,641	780	198	881	426	429	158	653	162
1968 1st quarter	13,078	6,244	963	233	1,137	660	459	147	708	147
2nd quarter	13,968	6,168	1,051	189	1,286	899	584	171	718	171
3rd quarter	12,968	6,578	921	211	1,017	629	455	151	727	223
4th quarter	15,409	8,269	931	252	793	518	404	148	763	230

(1) From the 1st quarter 1968 the coverage of this section has been increased by between 5 and 10 per cent. Source: Ministry of Technology

Deliveries of office machinery

TABLE 81

	Typewriters						Accounting and similar machinery		Other office machinery(3)	
	Standard(1)	Portable	Value(2)	Standard(1)	Portable	Value(2)				
	Total			For export			Total	For export	Total	For export
	Number		£ thousand	Number		£ thousand	£ thousand(2)			
1963	128,947	204,586	9,277	66,004	145,407	4,376	45,750	21,249	15,797	7,596
1964	104,536	155,236	7,203	48,729	92,840	2,825	40,846	21,620	17,576	8,340
1965	114,310	166,068	7,911	50,177	107,731	2,949	45,191	24,601	18,588	9,510
1966	102,707	211,800	7,587	46,040	166,716	3,550	50,636	32,176	18,717	10,362
1967	99,214	231,126	7,178	47,568	189,813	3,593	49,431	30,026	19,774	9,962
1966 1st quarter	27,936	52,787	2,035	12,080	42,485	865	11,074	6,730	5,009	2,692
2nd quarter	22,999	50,455	1,765	8,165	41,800	777	12,711	8,211	4,683	2,095
3rd quarter	25,205	48,315	1,824	11,644	40,740	912	11,777	7,257	4,359	2,141
4th quarter	26,567	60,243	1,964	14,151	41,691	996	15,074	9,977	4,666	2,437
1967 1st quarter	25,662	64,717	1,899	12,541	56,035	1,011	11,328	6,834	5,070	2,675
2nd quarter	27,640	67,224	1,956	14,503	60,935	1,119	13,386	8,427	4,975	2,376
3rd quarter	22,220	45,064	1,530	9,429	36,818	692	11,404	6,560	4,518	2,263
4th quarter	23,692	54,121	1,793	11,095	36,025	771	13,313	8,205	5,211	2,648
1968 1st quarter	25,518	72,216	2,087	10,928	57,243	1,034	10,809	6,677	6,617	3,550
2nd quarter	23,986	61,202	1,938	10,562	51,792	1,008	11,814	6,737	6,220	3,121
3rd quarter	24,019	55,917	1,887	12,087	52,574	1,042	10,746	5,964	6,537	3,632

(1) Including electric. (2) Including parts.
(3) Excluding electronic computers.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Deliveries of refrigerating machinery and cookers

TABLE 82

Monthly averages or calendar months

	Refrigerating machinery(1)								Cookers	
	Domestic				Commercial(2)		Industrial		Gas(3)	Electric(4)
	Total		For export		Total	For export	Total	For export	Total	
	Thousands	£ thousand(2)	Thousands	£ thousand(2)	£ thousand				Thousands	
1964	80·0	2,316	13·2	545	1,066	345	555	108	65·0	47·5
1965	89·5	2,505	15·7	532	1,068	286	517	128	60·9	44·5
1966	82·0	2,236	14·8	463	1,030	227	587	172	64·2	45·5
1967	76·7	2,102	12·3	397	1,046	182	617	185	63·3	51·4
1968	90·4	2,536	17·3	559	1,434	279	758	166	75·7	57·5
1967 1st quarter	74·9	2,089	14·0	449	1,016	218	585	202	58·0	43·9
2nd quarter	107·3	2,910	15·9	487	1,119	220	593	165	60·9	54·8
3rd quarter	71·8	1,891	8·7	312	1,000	161	595	141	56·4	47·4
4th quarter	52·6	1,519	10·6	342	1,050	130	695	232	77·8	59·8
1968 1st quarter	100·8	2,811	17·7	557	1,283	268	844	242	77·7	54·7
2nd quarter	115·5	3,097	18·3	566	1,591	326	756	179	80·0	60·2
3rd quarter	88·2	2,443	15·3	508	1,499	245	975	166	70·2	57·8
October	57·3	1,795	17·7	606	1,363	276	457	75	83·5	57·0
November									72·4	
December									68·3	
1969 January									66·8	
February										
March										

(1) From 1st quarter 1968 there is an increase in coverage of 4 per cent concentrated in commercial.
(2) Including parts. (3) Production. Excluding 'baby' gas cookers.
(4) Excluding cookers under 5 kW.

Sources: Ministry of Technology
Board of Trade

Deliveries of certain scientific and industrial instruments and apparatus(1)

TABLE 83 — £ thousand

	Optical instruments, other than ophthalmic appliances		Electrical measuring instruments(2)		Electronic measuring and testing equipment and nucleonic instruments(3)		Industrial process measuring and control instruments(4)		Nautical, aeronautical and gunnery control instruments		Other scientific instruments and apparatus	
	Total	For export	Total	For export	Total	For export	Total	For export	Total	For export	Total	For export
1963...	8,623	2,938	9,060	2,295	16,794	5,339	72,523	22,493	21,501	3,757	12,281	3,855
1964...	10,388	3,778	9,513	2,350	20,531	6,279	78,984	21,644	21,739	3,683	15,526	5,251
1965...	9,058	2,773	11,241	2,927	31,154	11,869	84,401	18,761	26,769	7,105	20,951	6,426
1966...	10,192	3,270	12,102	3,281	34,963	14,345	89,943	18,397	26,850	7,669	25,977	7,774
1967...	11,416	3,723	11,376	2,930	39,594	15,882	83,951	19,220	28,659	8,032	24,994	8,194
1966 1st quarter ...	2,611	801	3,168	842	8,001	3,216	22,956	5,085	6,967	2,078	5,727	1,761
2nd quarter ...	2,337	678	3,085	786	6,808	3,358	22,788	4,449	6,569	1,918	6,913	1,966
3rd quarter ...	2,287	751	2,861	781	8,621	3,451	20,625	3,697	6,476	1,610	6,827	1,804
4th quarter ...	2,958	1,040	2,989	871	9,734	4,319	23,574	5,167	6,838	2,063	6,510	2,242
1967 1st quarter ...	2,917	996	2,765	750	9,334	3,698	21,349	4,317	7,130	2,181	6,803	1,802
2nd quarter ...	2,991	978	2,968	834	9,364	3,753	19,005	4,749	7,072	1,892	5,875	2,001
3rd quarter ...	2,536	831	2,665	637	9,688	3,809	20,402	4,566	7,193	1,845	6,108	2,002
4th quarter ...	2,973	918	2,979	710	11,208	4,622	23,195	5,588	7,264	2,114	6,209	2,390
1968 1st quarter ...	2,730	818	3,020	724	12,206	4,555	25,557	6,407	7,375	2,058	6,062	2,268
2nd quarter ...	2,509	743	2,732	664	10,642	4,445	23,734	6,122	6,481	1,931	5,183	1,939
3rd quarter ...	2,401	688	2,735	664	12,392	5,187	24,399	6,631	6,566	1,857	5,150	1,720
4th quarter ...												

(1) Electronic computers are shown in Table 87.
(2) Excluding supply meters and instruments for motor vehicles.
(3) Including electronic measuring and testing equipment from the radio and other electronic apparatus industry.
(4) Including water supply meters together with electronic control equipment from radio and other electronics apparatus industry.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Deliveries of clocks, watches and other timing mechanisms and cameras

TABLE 84 — Monthly averages

	Clocks				Watches			Time recorders and switches		Still cameras	
	Mechanical	Electric	All types								
	Total		Total	For export	Total		For export	Total	For export	Total	For export
	Thousands		£ thousand		Thousands	£ thousand		£ thousand			
1964	401	121	589	134	302	412	61	744	102	224	85
1965	398	126	627	124	308	429	67	754	133	267	82
1966	363	116	613	107	339	441	80	780	147	246	61
1967	328	120	611	112	342	422	105	889	167	247	77
1968	332	126	658	125	353	443	134	895	176	271	113
1966 1st quarter	401	116	623	113	284	332	75	762	144	176	60
2nd quarter	311	103	559	91	281	332	79	785	145	284	34
3rd quarter	365	110	592	110	372	543	75	697	141	273	67
4th quarter	373	137	677	126	418	558	91	878	157	250	84
1967 1st quarter	363	118	620	129	245	262	79	1,110	164	221	92
2nd quarter	289	110	554	125	313	341	104	817	182	315	89
3rd quarter	324	114	596	97	389	538	106	762	163	232	57
4th quarter	337	137	671	97	418	548	129	866	160	221	70
1968 1st quarter	369	122	685	116	314	349	157	846	169	210	45
2nd quarter	321	128	629	120	291	363	134	877	189	194	30
3rd quarter	306	115	616	135	403	537	127	809	153	306	159
4th quarter	332	140	702	128	403	523	120	1,046	192	375	219

Source: Ministry of Technology

Electricity generating plant and rotating electrical machines

TABLE 85

Monthly averages or calendar months

	Deliveries of electricity generating plant						Production of rotating electrical machines							
	Hydraulic turbines		Steam turbo-alternators 10,000 kW. and over		Steam turbines less than 10,000 kW.		Fractional horse-power		A.C. motors		A.C. generators		D.C. machines	
	Total	Export	Total	Export	Total	Export	Total	For export	Total	For export	Total	For export	Total	For export
	Thousand B.H.P.		Thousand kW.				£ thousand							
1964	65·0	65·0	457·4	146·7	12·6	4·7	1,517	222	2,966	612	577	131	1,229	227
1965	113·5	65·8	567·7	127·5	17·8	8·0	1,543	218	3,194	743	620	236	1,339	292
1966	20·6	20·6	871·1	230·8	14·2	5·3	1,558	210	3,378	873	589	194	1,150	336
1967	89·0	89·0	899·9	223·8	11·3	4·3	1,531	193	3,289	815	631	208	966	280
1968							1,797	177	3,148	808	690	208	735	205
1967 1st quarter	44·6	44·6	779·1	245·5	14·3	8·3	1,559	200	3,406	916	686	259	1,102	277
2nd quarter	186·0	186·0	510·8	203·3	13·6	5·9	1,559	232	3,385	907	618	203	1,059	313
3rd quarter	37·3	37·3	597·9	80·0	3·5	0·5	1,354	178	3,117	682	581	195	828	318
4th quarter	88·1	88·1	1,711·8	366·4	13·9	2·5	1,651	163	3,250	756	638	177	873	210
1968 1st quarter	224·0	224·0	367·0	197·0	8·5	1·1	1,725	173	3,135	848	710	216	698	208
2nd quarter	221·8	221·8	888·4	176·7	8·1	6·1	1,772	178	3,108	861	638	192	683	159
3rd quarter	111·7	111·7	326·4	153·3	8·3	—	1,690	160	3,017	700	633	188	772	168
October ...	—	—	1,365·1	30·0	11·9	3·3	2,001	196	3,332	824	781	236	837	283
November ...	—	—	660·6	—										
December ...	277·4	277·4	131·5	120·0										

Source: Ministry of Technology

Sales by manufacturers of electric gramophone record players and turntables

TABLE 86

	Gramophone record players(1)						Complete gramophone turntable units(2)					
	Total		Home		Export		Total		Home		Export	
	Thousands	£ thousand	Thousands	£ thousand	Thousands	£ thousand	Thousands	£ thousand	Thousands	£ thousand	Thousands	£ thousand
1964	504·7	5,768·2	471·0	5,367·6	33·7	400·6	4,009·1	12,772·8	1,114·4	3,416·1	2,894·7	9,356·7
1965	387·2	5,106·2	349·3	4,509·5	37·9	596·7	4,310·4	13,607·9	720·4	2,293·3	3,590·0	11,314·5
1966	402·9	5,355·5	384·7	5,143·0	18·1	212·6	4,807·1	15,247·8	710·7	2,108·6	4,096·4	13,139·2
1967	412·6	5,192·4	398·4	5,035·6	14·2	156·8	4,262·4	13,824·1	779·4	2,409·4	3,483·0	11,414·6
1968	534·0	6,832·5	509·7	6,551·0	24·2	281·5	5,631·7	20,843·3	1,083·7	3,794·3	4,547·9	17,049·0
1967 1st quarter	86·9	1,097·1	83·9	1,064·9	3·0	32·2	941·6	2,936·3	156·6	497·2	784·9	2,439·1
2nd quarter	59·6	730·2	56·5	696·8	3·1	33·4	932·6	3,034·9	139·1	425·3	793·5	2,609·6
3rd quarter	96·8	1,233·2	93·7	1,202·1	3·1	31·1	1,043·9	3,312·7	175·4	558·2	868·6	2,754·5
4th quarter	169·3	2,131·9	164·3	2,071·7	5·0	60·2	1,344·2	4,540·2	308·3	928·8	1,035·9	3,611·4
1968 1st quarter	140·9	1,634·1	136·3	1,583·5	4·6	50·6	1,190·6	4,420·9	249·8	862·8	940·7	3,558·0
2nd quarter	100·2	1,312·8	96·4	1,271·6	3·8	41·1	1,359·9	4,841·9	229·3	791·1	1,130·5	4,050·8
3rd quarter	118·3	1,514·8	111·3	1,438·8	7·0	76·0	1,427·7	5,466·6	247·7	860·9	1,180 0	4,605·6
October ...	63·2	856·4	59·6	802·6	3·6	53·9	555·0	2,101·0	116·6	412·7	438·3	1,688·3
November ...	59·4	808·4	56·4	774·1	3·0	34·3	578·3	2,146·0	130·3	466·8	448·0	1,679·3
December ...	52·0	705·9	49·7	680·4	2·4	25·6	520·2	1,867·1	109·9	400·0	410·3	1,467·0
1969 January ...	32·8	463·4	31·2	445·7	1·6	17·7	519·7	1,863·4	123·0	432·5	396·7	1,431·0
February ...												
March ...												

(1) With built-in amplification, complete in case.
(2) Including sales to other United Kingdom manufacturers of turntable units which may be incorporated later in complete electric gramophones.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Deliveries of electronic apparatus(1)

TABLE 87 — £ thousand

	Electronic control equipment(2)		Electronic computers		Electronic measuring and testing equipment(3)		Transmitters (4)		Radar and navigational aids		Radio communication equipment		All other electronic apparatus(5)	
	Total	For export	Total	For export	Total	For export	Total	For export	Total	For export	Total	For export	Total	For expor
1964	14,953	4,537	44,164	4,960	15,375	4,627	8,695	5,474	66,224	21,513	30,732	11,896	23,233	5,96
1965(6) ...	46,726	9,665	34,567	6,422	27,237	11,219	6,056	2,955	71,275	25,615	36,087	12,300	38,076	8,05
1966	49,391	9,746	74,764	31,406	31,347	13,732	5,368	3,349	79,595	28,801	42,161	17,271	47,952	9,73
1967	42,486	9,419	94,354	35,347	36,811	15,290	,211	4,751	87,586	30,843	38,423	7,484	59,114	13,11
1966 1st qtr.	12,695	2,791	17,319	7,367	7,004	3,035	1,631	1,072	20,223	7,140	10,584	3,896	11,825	2,14
2nd qtr.	13,612	2,748	18,516	8,325	7,721	3,173	1,019	517	19,787	7,707	10,546	4,714	12,549	2,67
3rd qtr.	9,800	1,657	20,138	8,415	7,700	3,353	1,350	914	18,810	6,102	10,721	4,437	11,399	2,40
4th qtr.	13,284	2,550	18,791	7,299	8,922	4,171	1,368	846	20,775	7,852	10,310	4,224	12,179	2,50
1967 1st qtr.	10,768	1,960	19,379	7,993	8,518	3,583	1,557	895	20,498	7,485	10,846	5,069	14,073	3,32
2nd qtr.	9,146	2,265	22,307	8,944	8,733	3,582	1,880	1,122	21,807	6,889	8,971	4,204	14,012	3,80
3rd qtr.	10,638	2,367	24,987	9,064	9,205	3,676	2,392	1,370	20,286	6,741	8,138	3,824	13,583	2,65
4th qtr.	11,934	2,827	27,681	9,346	10,355	4,449	2,382	1,364	24,995	9,728	10,468	4,387	17,446	3,33
1968 1st qtr.	13,060	3,203	23,423	6,905	11,166	4,352	1,765	557	23,528	10,898	9,587	3,547	17,084	3,50
2nd qtr.	12,622	2,954	25,615	9,253	9,707	4,311	2,407	854	23,045	10,905	10,145	3,963	15,840	3,26
3rd qtr.	13,203	3,120	30,404	10,779	11,348	5,057	2,529	1,213	26,221	11,982	11,563	5,404	16,445	3,86

(1) Excluding the value of work done on research and development. Including sales to H.M. Forces. (2) Including from January 1965 electronic control equipment from the scientific instruments and apparatus industry. (3) Including from January 1965 electronic measuring and testing equipment from the scientific instruments and apparatus industry. (4) Transmitters (sound and vision) for public broadcasting and ancillary equipment. (5) Electronic heating equipment, industrial television equipment, electronic simulators and trainers and other electronic apparatus. Including electronic instruments for nuclear application and nucleonic instruments from the scientific instruments and apparatus industry, and from 1965 other work done on electronic capital equipment. (6) From 1965 the coverage differs slightly from earlier years.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Radios, radiograms and television sets

TABLE 88 — Monthly averages or calendar months

	Radios and radiograms(1)							Television sets(1)				
	Production	Home sales				Export sales(3)		Production	Home sales		Export sales(3)	
		Radio sets(2)		Radiograms								
	Thousands	Thousands	£ thousand	Thousands	£ thousand	Thousands	£ thousand	Thousands	Thousands	£ thousand	Thousands	£ thousar
1964	220	178	1,470	24	696	7	82	181·9	158·6	6,486	4·8	191
1965	159	145	1,192	20	600	5	55	132·6	140·6	5,727	6·0	230
1966	132	114	1,029	15	504	5	52	116·3	107·6	4,318	6·0	229
1967	128	115	1,023	16	515	3	37	106·0	112·9	4,711	3·6	133
1968	145	118	1,108	19	651	3	39	163·6	156·1	7,610	4 8	192
1966 1st quarter ...	132	118	1,051	15	467	6	49	147·1	132·9	5,347	5·5	211
2nd quarter ...	143	123	1,108	11	342	6	51	126·3	88·1	3,481	4·4	177
3rd quarter ...	116	103	944	15	505	6	63	100·2	98·6	3,942	6·3	232
4th quarter ...	135	111	1,015	20	702	4	43	92·6	110·9	4,504	8·2	301
1967 1st quarter ...	128	100	905	13	416	2	37	92·2	94·6	3,717	4·3	153
2nd quarter ...	133	120	1,050	11	385	4	41	101·3	88·8	3,491	3·4	127
3rd quarter ...	111	114	1,001	14	480	2	29	93·3	115·3	4,731	3·0	110
4th quarter ...	138	131	1,137	25	778	3	40	136·9	152·8	6,905	3·8	142
1968 1st quarter ...	149	127	1,195	19	625	3	41	151·0	149·3	7,529	4·0	165
2nd quarter ...	152	122	1,155	16	550	2	28	156·0	139·8	6,878	4·6	186
3rd quarter ...	127	107	994	17	568	4	44	153·7	146·5	6,925	4·4	176
October ...	165	137	1,306	26	915	3	40	213·4	216·9	10,639	6·2	261
November ...	159	112	1,053	24	849	3	52	198·1	193·5	9,435	6·6	258
December ...	128	94	904	22	822	3	34	169·6	156·1	7,249	5·5	208

(1) Including chassis.
(2) Including car radios.
(3) Value figures are calculated at f.o.b. prices.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Deliveries of electrical equipment and appliances

TABLE 89

Monthly averages or calendar months

	Blankets				Vacuum cleaners				Dry shavers	
	Total		For export		Total		For export		Home	
	Thousands	£ thousand	Thousands	£ thousand	Thousands	£ thousand	Thousands	£ thousand	Thousands	£ thousand
1964	134·8	399·1	3·6	13·9	138·7	1,597·0	50·8	360·2	68·1	263·1
1965	113·0	355·2	1·8	5·8	144·8	1,674·9	56·1	394·0	74·4	292·9
1966	128·6	383·3	3·2	10·7	128·3	1,492·9	46·5	346·3	84·6	328·5
1967	107·4	343·3	4·3	13·2	128·1	1,550·2	39·0	294·3	80·1	322·2
1968	118·6	381·9	5·3	16·0	146·0	1,830·1	47·3	378·8	72·8	287·1
1966 1st quarter	79·2	250·1	1·8	7·0	134·3	1,550·7	52·8	401·1	59·1	255·4
2nd quarter	62·7	180·4	0·7	2·1	121·6	1,545·9	30·0	233·2	68·2	250·5
3rd quarter	147·5	423·6	2·1	6·9	119·3	1,331·8	45·2	328·8	87·5	341·6
4th quarter	225·1	679·1	8·1	26·7	138·1	1,543·3	59·1	421·4	123·8	496·4
1967 1st quarter	55·5	174·8	2·5	8·7	133·8	1,491·0	53·3	383·0	46·4	176·9
2nd quarter	61·1	214·2	3·2	7·4	129·9	1,584·4	38·2	275·4	71·3	296·8
3rd quarter	132·3	386·9	7·0	22·6	114·2	1,473·9	24·5	202·3	89·3	357·2
4th quarter	180·7	597·2	4·5	14·2	134·3	1,651·4	39·9	316·4	114·2	452·9
1968 1st quarter	64·7	181·1	3·8	10·8	174·9	2,168·4	52·1	412·3	52·0	203·8
2nd quarter	86·3	304·2	2·4	5·7	138·2	1,714·9	45·9	370·3	59·5	219·0
3rd quarter	142·4	450·0	5·6	16·5	135·5	1,654·3	46·0	371·8	83·0	323·0
4th quarter	190·6	623·5	9·4	31·0	137·3	1,782·0	45·2	360·9	96·8	402·8

	Domestic washing machines				Electric irons				Electric lamps (complete)			
	Total		For export		Total		For export		Total (production)		Total	For export
									General lighting service	Other		
	Thousands	£ thousand	Thousands	£ thousand	Thousands	£ thousand	Thousands	£ thousand	Thousands		£ thousand	
1964	99·6	4,124	22·3	768	209	364·0	48	70·8	21,239	14,967	2,536	336
1965	74·3	3,217	12·2	447	193	356·6	50	75·4	21,916	14,863	2,727	430
1966	58·6	2,592	8·7	304	201	389·0	48	73·6	23,410	15,054	2,781	414
1967	59·8	2,657	8·5	301	191	402·3	49	86·6	22,197	16,626	2,798	406
1968	73·7	3,180	15·9	560	194	442·8	49	85·0	24,630	16,704	2,905	515
1966 1st quarter	64·5	2,888	8·9	307	177	339·0	38	61·4	24,183	15,488	3,032	447
2nd quarter	61·8	2,818	7·4	268	178	349·1	44	67·9	23,808	15,723	2,389	410
3rd quarter	49·5	2,117	8·5	302	201	398·5	38	55·0	19,350	13,135	2,539	368
4th quarter	58·6	2,544	9·8	340	246	469·4	72	109·9	24,693	15,810	3,162	432
1967 1st quarter	52·6	2,354	8·1	276	169	336·2	43	73·6	22,184	17,395	2,946	443
2nd quarter	56·0	2,488	9·7	315	154	310·5	49	89·5	24,170	17,671	2,246	377
3rd quarter	59·3	2,622	6·5	254	189	406·2	43	81·3	18,975	14,114	2,526	420
4th quarter	71·4	3,164	9·9	359	251	552·8	59	102·0	23,459	17,324	3,474	384
1968 1st quarter	88·9	4,100	12·4	483	200	425·1	59	99·0	25,025	17,490	3,264	547
2nd quarter	66·3	2,841	14·4	509	167	372·9	49	80·2	25,433	16,944	2,394	463
3rd quarter	68·7	2,875	17·2	558	193	455·2	38	70·8	22,298	14,243	2,660	503
4th quarter	69·3	3,013	18·4	664	215	517·8	49	90·1	25,765	18,139	3,302	548

Source: Ministry of Technology

Merchant shipbuilding(1): Vessels of 100 gross tons and over(2)

Orders on hand and completions

TABLE 90

	Orders on hand at end of period(3)								Completions(3)			
	Not yet laid down				Under construction				Total		Export(4)	
	Total		Export(4)		Total		Export(4)					
	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons
1963...	136	1,201	35	134	150	1,209	27	224	208	1,127	41	280
1964...	118	851	28	90	188	1,616	32	228	193	848	39	120
1965...	151	1,686	48	1,008	170	1,335	41	267	202	1,204	33	150
1966...	90	895	35	590	164	1,363	47	650	211	1,131	38	287
1967...	62	972	14	174	118	1,096	36	562	199	1,192	58	612
1968...	114	2,464	33	853	119	1,095	33	383	152	1,046	39	519
1967 1st quarter ...	89	841	33	568	156	1,319	47	660	43	229	10	85
2nd quarter...	64	605	25	409	139	1,312	48	764	59	278	13	125
3rd quarter ...	68	473	20	231	129	1,209	42	687	51	392	20	220
4th quarter ...	62	972	14	174	118	1,096	36	562	46	293	15	181
1968 1st quarter ...	70	1,071	13	123	109	1,023	32	500	37	250	11	140
2nd quarter...	91	1,417	24	348	116	1,152	35	453	33	243	7	120
3rd quarter...	94	1,721	27	442	126	1,209	35	532	31	193	9	121
4th quarter ...	114	2,464	33	853	119	1,095	33	383	51	360	12	209
1969 1st quarter	130	3,098	29	855	123	1,083	36	378	29	192	8	67

New orders and net new orders

	New orders(3)				Modifications and cancellations(5)				Net new orders(3)			
	Total		Export(4)		Total		Export(4)		Total		Export(4)	
	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons
1963...	253	1,523	53	252	−11	− 93	—	−13	242	1,431	53	239
1964...	214	961	35	120	− 7	− 67	−3	−36	207	893	32	83
1965...	219	1,772	61	1,094	− 2	− 13	—	− 1	217	1,759	61	1,093
1966...	150	482	35	167	− 5	− 98	−1	−40	145	384	34	127
1967...	127	1,077	21	106	− 2	− 42	−1	−38	125	1,035	20	68
1968...	207	2,565	55	1,112	− 2	1	−1	—	205	2,566	54	1,112
1967 1st quarter ...	34	131	8	69	—	—	—	—	34	131	8	69
2nd quarter...	18	49	4	22	− 1	− 1	—	—	17	44	4	22
3rd quarter ...	46	202	6	4	− 1	− 1	−1	−32	45	170	5	− 27(6)
4th quarter ...	29	695	3	12	—	—	—	− 6	29	689	3	6
1968 1st quarter ...	36	281	6	31	—	2	—	—	36	283	6	31
2nd quarter...	62	720	21	299	− 1	—	−1	—	61	719	20	299
3rd quarter ...	45	562	12	303	− 1	—	—	—	44	562	12	303
4th quarter	64	1,001	16	479	—	—	—	—	64	1,001	16	479
1969 1st quarter	49	820	7	69	—	—	—	—	49	820	7	69

(1) Includes naval vessels registered as merchant ships.
(2) Gross tonnage (100 cubic feet per g.t.) is the total volume of all the enclosed spaces of a vessel.
(3) The total tonnage specified on ordering vessels differs slightly from total actual measured tonnage on completion.
(4) Vessels are shown for export if they are for other than U.K. registration.
(5) Modifications include alterations of 500 gross tons or more to the tonnage and the country of registration of vessels already on order.
(6) Modifications and cancellations exceed new orders for the period.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Merchant shipbuilding(1): Tankers of 300 gross tons and over(2)

Orders on hand and completions

TABLE 91

	Orders on hand at end of period(3)								Completions(3)			
	Not yet laid down				Under construction				Total		Export(4)	
	Total		Export(4)		Total		Export(4)					
	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons
1963...	17	394	2	3	32	792	5	162	21	469	3	86
1964...	7	233	2	56	26	735	2	109	26	403	5	55
1965...	16	354	3	143	18	451	3	110	20	479	1	52
1966...	10	118	3	112	14	272	2	105	19	401	3	108
1967...	10	641	—	—	10	241	4	171	18	155	4	104
1968...	22	1,385	9	561	15	268	4	92	13	239	4	165
1967 1st quarter ...	9	117	2	103	14	241	3	113	2	41	—	—
2nd quarter ...	5	8	2	4	15	350	6	281	6	5	—	—
3rd quarter ...	3	4	1	2	14	288	6	218	3	61	1	60
4th quarter ...	10	641	—	—	10	241	4	171	7	47	3	44
1968 1st quarter ...	11	667	2	4	13	259	3	169	3	4	1	2
2nd quarter ...	15	758	4	93	12	234	3	75	3	152	1	95
3rd quarter ...	21	885	8	187	12	309	3	153	3	20	1	8
4th quarter ...	22	1,285	9	561	15	268	4	92	4	63	1	60
1969 1st quarter ...	22	1,425	5	550	20	287	8	103	—	—	—	—

New orders and net new orders

	New orders(3)				Modifications and cancellations(5)				Net new orders(3)			
	Total		Export(4)		Total		Export(4)		Total		Export(4)	
	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons
1963...	28	493	6	114	— 4	— 60	—	—	24	433	6	114
1964...	11	196	2	56	— 1	— 21	—	—	10	175	2	56
1965...	22	333	3	143	— 1	— 17	—	—	21	316	3	143
1966...	11	70	1	9	— 1	— 72	— 1	— 72	10	— 2(6)	—	— 64(6)
1967...	14	658	2	4	—	—	—	—	14	658	2	4
1968...	31	915	13	653	— 1	—	—	—	30	915	13	653
1967 1st quarter ...	1	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	10	—	—
2nd quarter ...	3	6	2	4	—	—	—	—	3	6	2	4
3rd quarter ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4th quarter ...	10	642	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	642	—	—
1968 1st quarter ...	7	47	2	4	—	—	—	—	7	47	2	4
2nd quarter ...	6	220	3	90	—	—	—	—	6	220	3	90
3rd quarter ...	10	221	5	180	— 1	—	—	—	9	221	5	180
4th quarter ...	8	427	3	378	—	—	—	—	8	427	3	378
1969 1st quarter ...	3	134	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	134	—	—

(1) Includes naval vessels registered as merchant ships.
(2) Gross tonnage (100 cubic feet per g.t.) is the total volume of all the enclosed spaces of a vessel.
(3) The total tonnage specified on ordering vessels differs slightly from the total actual measured tonnage on completion.
(4) Vessels are shown for export if they are for other than U.K. registration.
(5) Modifications include alterations of 500 gross tons or more to the tonnage and the country of registration of vessels already on order.
(6) Modifications and cancellations exceed new orders for the period.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Passenger cars(1)

TABLE 92 — Monthly averages or totals for four or five week periods (Deliveries: calender months)

	Total production Number						Production for export Number					Deliveries £ million		
	Weekly averages	Total	1,000 c.c. and under	Over 1,000 c.c. and not over 1,600 c.c.	Over 1,600 c.c. and not over 2,800 c.c.	Over 2,800 c.c.	Total	1,000 c.c. and under	Over 1,000 c.c. and not over 1,600 c.c.	Over 1,600 c.c. and not over 2,800 c.c.	Over 2,800 c.c.	Total (2)	Passenger cars (3)	Commercial vehicles (3)
1963	*30,922*	133,995	27,426	78,885	23,572	4,111	54,098	9,819	32,621	9,872	1,786	92·0	55·4	24·3
1964(4) ...	*35,238*	155,637	32,544	95,510	22,254	5,328	58,813	11,998	35,587	8,908	2,320	105·3	63·9	27·5
1965	*33,116*	143,504	25,873	84,486	26,710	6,434	54,389	9,206	32,313	10,134	2,737	106·3	62·5	28·5
1966	*30,840*	133,640	25,116	67,819	34,378	6,326	52,083	10,738	25,752	12,460	3,134	110·0	61·6	30·5
1967	*29,846*	129,334	24,090	74,904	26,619	3,721	46,978	10,024	24,304	11,080	1,570	105·3	59·8	28·0
1968	*34,922*	151,328	21,529	94,480	30,265	5,054	66,898	12,934	39,722	12,526	1,716	124·9	74·3	30·9
1966 April	*35,914*	143,656	26,740	69,919	40,179	6,818	54,049	9,540	27,121	14,059	3,329	130·2	82·4	29·8
May ...	*39,462*	157,847	29,961	82,504	41,061	4,321	55,162	10,899	28,042	13,696	2,525	154·4	107·8	32·1
*June ...	*36,529*	182,644	35,846	92,856	45,191	8,751	65,586	14,158	31,686	15,111	4,631	111·9	60·4	31·6
July ...	*22,188*	88,753	16,479	45,490	22,115	4,669	33,565	6,510	17,648	7,251	2,156	130·8	79·1	30·4
Aug. ...	*26,912*	107,649	22,339	51,997	28,178	5,135	39,055	8,493	18,205	9,603	2,754	63·1	27·5	20·8
*Sept. ...	*27,548*	137,741	25,977	73,638	30,578	7,548	55,275	11,255	29,529	10,954	3,537	100·6	45·3	34·0
Oct. ...	*27,006*	108,025	22,844	53,120	26,351	5,710	46,003	12,416	21,441	9,345	2,801	87·5	40·0	28·0
Nov. ...	*22,756*	91,024	16,251	49,912	19,730	5,131	48,380	11,013	25,522	9,498	2,347	86·6	40·0	28·3
*Dec. ...	*24,776*	123,879	23,996	66,215	28,043	5,625	59,746	11,684	29,989	15,122	2,951	88·8	42·1	30·4
1967 Jan. ...	*28,125*	112,498	21,259	60,954	25,896	4,389	47,931	9,930	22,325	13,480	2,196	108·3	61·9	28·1
Feb. ...	*30,280*	121,120	23,601	67,735	25,110	4,674	52,714	11,459	25,052	13,713	2,490	109·8	65·0	28·0
*March	*30,789*	153,946	27,409	89,033	32,540	4,964	58,232	11,448	29,269	14,971	2,544	121·1	71·4	31·4
April ...	*35,547*	142,186	24,922	83,740	29,266	4,258	53,235	11,517	27,600	12,424	1,694	115·7	67·9	28·9
May ...	*34,392*	137,566	23,139	82,500	28,427	3,500	50,453	10,196	27,594	11,178	1,485	117·6	67·7	31·4
*June ...	*33,357*	166,785	29,990	97,381	35,035	4,379	61,197	14,788	30,442	14,299	1,668	122·3	70·8	31·5
July ...	*23,647*	94,589	14,793	62,101	15,451	2,244	31,344	6,952	17,910	5,575	907	117·8	71·9	27·4
Aug. ...	*22,784*	91,138	22,676	49,934	16,573	1,955	31,117	9,640	13,968	6,714	797	71·6	41·2	16·6
*Sept. ...	*25,935*	129,675	29,169	72,351	24,648	3,507	42,761	9,644	22,970	9,121	1,026	92·2	46·3	28·2
Oct. ...	*30,146*	120,582	25,353	67,111	24,835	3,283	34,731	5,729	19,190	8,608	1,204	92·9	49·4	26·4
Nov. ...	*32,239*	128,957	23,565	74,904	27,025	3,463	43,324	8,692	23,742	9,639	1,251	102·9	54·9	29·9
*Dec. ...	*30,594*	152,971	23,201	91,106	34,622	4,042	56,699	10,294	31,590	13,238	1,577	92·2	49·0	27·9
1968 Jan. ...	*30,504*	122,017	17,050	77,646	24,064	3,257	41,470	11,502	21,357	7,635	976	130·3	81·5	31·0
Feb. ...	*35,767*	143,068	19,570	84,525	35,304	3,669	62,901	13,386	33,849	14,483	1,183	130·3	82·4	29·5
*March	*40,494*	202,470	29,998	123,736	41,413	7,323	93,259	18,237	56,039	16,680	2,303	175·4	118·5	36·9
April	*36,332*	145,328	22,066	89,718	28,433	5,111	64,085	12,524	38,915	10,964	1,682	109·2	60·5	31·0
May ...	*40,455*	161,818	21,290	102,413	33,345	4,770	72,950	11,500	46,463	13,391	1,596	147·1	91·3	35·3
*June ...	*36,397*	181,986	22,085	115,835	37,421	6,645	88,056	12,815	56,793	15,929	2,519	111·9	63·4	29·7
July ...	*27,767*	111,067	9,466	78,835	18,263	4,503	51,027	5,616	36,095	7,704	1,612	114·2	66·3	29·1
Aug. ...	*25,195*	100,780	18,335	55,544	23,235	3,666	43,553	11,178	20,788	10,430	1,157	102·9	60·0	23·2
*Sept. ...	*35,548*	177,739	26,692	113,696	31,584	5,767	79,608	15,463	48,507	13,580	2,058	112·7	63·9	29·5
Oct. ...	*36,491*	145,965	22,567	91,299	27,382	4,717	55,676	13,497	29,792	11,002	1,385	115·4	61·6	30·9
Nov. ...	*37,596*	150,382	22,035	93,518	29,570	5,259	66,862	14,243	37,853	12,944	1,822	138·1	85·1	31·1
*Dec. ...	*34,663*	173,316	27,188	106,995	33,168	5,965	83,326	15,245	50,214	15,574	2,293	109·0	57·6	31·0
1969 *Jan. ...	*37,049*	185,245	29,966	116,395	32,564	6,320	81,872	17,667	46,277	15,651	2,277	123·5	63·6	37·2
Feb. ...	*36,031*	144,123	22,775	88,660	26,884	5,804	69,679	13,462	39,693	14,485	2,039			
March														

(1) Including chassis delivered as such by manufacturers. Taxi-cabs are included.
(2) Including deliveries (by motor manufacturers only) of spare parts and accessories for passenger cars and commercial vehicles.
(3) Complete vehicles and chassis.
(4) 53 week period. * Five week period.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Commercial motor vehicles(1)

TABLE 93 — Monthly averages or totals for four or five week periods — Number

	Total production							Production for export					
			Gross vehicle weight			Motive units for articulated vehicles	Omnibuses, coaches, and trolley buses(2)		Gross vehicle weight			Motive units for articulated vehicles	Omnibuses, coaches, and trolley buses(2)
	Weekly averages	Total	Not over 1½ tons	Over 1½ tons, not over 10 tons	Over 10 tons			Total	Not over 1½ tons	Over 1½ tons, not over 10 tons	Over 10 tons		
1963	7,765	33,648	9,121	18,158	4,165	699	1,505	13,742	1,659	9,309	1,923	106	746
1964(3)	8,769	38,728	11,073	19,723	5,378	1,014	1,540	14,950	2,081	9,572	2,475	110	712
1965	8,754	37,935	10,256	20,045	5,175	961	1,498	14,520	1,789	9,466	2,434	124	707
1966	8,436	36,556	8,588	19,182	5,348	1,418	2,019	14,838	1,456	9,569	2,542	101	1,171
1967	7,406	32,092	8,587	14,978	5,742	1,266	1,519	11,618	1,109	6,708	2,874	105	822
1968	7,869	34,099	8,120	17,022	6,271	1,141	1,545	12,488	1,190	7,395	2,985	118	800
1966 April	9,029	36,115	9,775	18,040	5,389	1,252	1,659	13,354	1,304	8,467	2,650	113	820
May	10,004	40,015	10,054	20,472	6,179	1,359	1,951	15,332	1,296	9,881	2,889	91	1,175
*June	9,500	47,498	11,690	24,878	6,894	1,668	2,368	18,676	1,712	12,040	3,437	87	1,400
July	6,033	24,132	5,207	12,690	3,725	906	1,604	10,814	980	6,858	1,975	59	942
August	7,299	29,197	7,027	15,076	4,464	1,101	1,529	11,207	1,102	7,047	2,108	48	902
*September	8,711	43,557	9,267	24,056	6,002	1,700	2,532	18,737	1,652	12,490	3,055	128	1,412
October	8,067	32,269	6,791	17,485	4,529	1,441	2,023	14,481	1,325	9,688	2,202	94	1,172
November	7,494	29,976	5,541	16,581	4,370	1,494	1,990	14,174	1,255	9,280	2,311	70	1,258
*December	7,107	35,536	7,476	18,309	5,360	1,627	2,764	16,568	1,605	10,199	2,685	57	2,022
1967 January	7,241	28,965	5,728	14,977	5,023	1,415	1,822	12,532	1,044	7,938	2,374	60	1,116
February	7,510	30,039	7,045	13,962	5,938	1,625	1,469	13,172	1,489	7,420	3,232	200	831
*March	7,246	36,228	9,189	17,009	6,936	1,467	1,627	14,678	1,328	8,265	3,972	149	964
April	8,162	32,649	7,659	15,617	6,335	1,279	1,759	12,514	922	6,960	3,472	89	1,071
May	7,846	31,385	8,003	14,889	6,095	1,142	1,256	11,405	1,025	6,518	3,135	72	655
*June	8,036	40,181	10,315	19,584	6,979	1,516	1,787	13,367	1,244	7,734	3,438	98	853
July	6,661	26,643	6,351	12,599	4,995	1,234	1,464	9,625	820	5,396	2,560	86	763
August	4,999	19,996	7,341	8,732	2,597	648	678	5,961	715	3,688	1,185	47	326
*September	7,338	36,691	12,230	15,984	5,785	1,231	1,461	11,733	1,234	6,904	2,758	99	738
October	8,547	34,188	11,201	14,561	5,734	1,183	1,509	11,003	1,305	6,079	2,678	123	818
November	7,983	31,931	9,100	14,346	5,714	1,113	1,658	11,081	1,304	6,026	2,799	103	849
*December	7,242	36,210	8,880	17,482	6,777	1,337	1,734	12,343	878	7,573	2,888	130	874
1968 January	6,985	27,939	5,572	14,466	5,506	1,091	1,304	9,254	465	5,721	2,397	84	587
February	7,918	31,672	6,628	16,601	5,780	1,129	1,534	11,731	952	7,228	2,695	111	745
*March	8,933	44,665	10,165	23,113	8,003	1,731	1,653	16,236	1,633	9,633	3,887	239	844
April	7,903	31,610	7,595	16,208	5,493	956	1,358	11,400	1,300	6,739	2,470	93	798
May	8,442	33,768	7,968	17,149	6,163	1,021	1,467	12,275	1,488	7,389	2,570	77	751
*June	7,817	39,087	9,657	19,179	6,958	1,296	1,997	14,036	1,482	8,149	3,110	105	1,190
July	6,309	25,235	5,533	12,438	5,028	928	1,308	8,948	849	4,853	2,539	62	645
August	5,336	21,343	5,408	10,636	3,798	667	834	8,108	594	5,079	1,884	63	488
*September	8,378	41,891	10,841	19,846	8,090	1,427	1,687	14,694	1,431	8,299	4,069	123	772
October	8,465	33,858	8,112	16,397	6,509	1,093	1,747	12,559	945	7,663	2,968	109	874
November	8,896	35,583	9,060	17,428	6,270	1,047	1,778	13,758	1,507	8,049	3,128	175	899
*December	8,507	42,535	10,896	20,849	7,613	1,307	1,870	16,856	1,639	9,938	4,097	180	1,002
1969 *January	9,829	49,146	11,268	24,760	9,331	1,583	2,204	19,668	1,499	11,517	5,359	176	1,117
February	9,680	38,720	8,857	19,061	7,517	1,216	2,069	16,370	1,296	9,103	4,761	126	1,084
March													

(1) Including chassis delivered as such by manufacturers. The value of deliveries of commercial vehicles is shown in Table 92.
(2) Complete and chassis.
(3) 53 week period. * Five week period.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Powered industrial trucks and tractors

TABLE 94 — Monthly averages or calendar months

	Powered industrial trucks			Industrial and agricultural tractors(1)					
				Wheeled(2)			Track-laying		
	Production(3)		Deliveries	Deliveries(4)			Deliveries(5)		
	Fork-lift	Other(6)	Total value(6)	Total	For export	Total value(5)	Total	For export	Total value
	Number		£ thousand	Number		£ thousand	Number		£ thousand
1963	519	269	1,126	19,092	15,588	10,769	386	208	1,415
1964	718	313	1,573	17,269	13,649	9,888	400	184	1,269
1965	986	357	2,302	16,510	13,016	10,229	366	173	1,308
1966	1,085	341	2,648	17,817	14,249	11,457	299	146	1,338
1967	877	857	2,357	15,504	11,757	11,340	327	127	1,758
1968	1,120	964	3,335						
1967 1st quarter ...	2	857	2,380	16,985	12,866	10,894	297	158	1,453
2nd quarter ...	868	883	2,401	16,680	12,897	10,560	358	115	1,844
3rd quarter ...	804	798	2,182	13,430	9,909	8,707	318	128	1,808
4th quarter ...	923	891	2,464	14,920	11,355	9,984	334	104	1,925
1968 1st quarter(7)	1,084	953	3,132	19,150	12,470	13,254	235	139	1,623
2nd quarter ...	1,051	872	3,197	16,833	12,712	12,521	203	89	1,521
3rd quarter ...	1,107	988	3,354	14,673	11,399	10,935	188	86	1,425
4th quarter ...	1,238	1,041	3,658						

(1) Tractors of 10 belt horse-power and over. (2) Including half-track. (3) Deliveries from January 1968. (4) Up to December 1963 numbers relate to production. (5) Complete tractors only. (6) Including manually-propelled trucks from January 1967. (7) Coverage increased by between 5 and 10 per cent.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Deliveries of motor cycles, three-wheel motor vehicles and pedal cycles

TABLE 95 — Monthly averages or calendar months — Thousands

	Motor cycles, scooters, mopeds and three-wheel motor vehicles						Pedal cycles	
	All types			Mopeds	Scooters(2)	Three-wheel motor vehicles (3)		
	Value(1) £ thousand	Total	For export				Total	For export
1963	1,027	8·93	2·71	2·68	1·31	0·70	171	121
1964	1,189	9·30	3·00	3·05	0·65	1·01	145	94
1965	1,376	9·00	3·63	2·38	0·32	1·07	140	87
1966	1,675	8·75	5·10	1·26	0·20	0·85	119	75
1967	1,663	8·75	4·79	2·14	0·05	0·85	120	75
1968	1,823	8·01	4·79	0·90	—	1·02	125	78
1967 1st quarter ...	1,815	9·18	6·14	1·39	0·06	0·83	96	69
2nd quarter ...	1,912	12·06	5·81	4·28	0·05	1·01	122	87
3rd quarter ...	1,281	6·77	3·38	1·53	0·03	0·67	119	73
4th quarter ...	1,643	7·00	3·81	1·33	0·04	0·89	142	72
1968 1st quarter ...	2,152	9·66	5·63	1.25	0·01	1·12	93	60
2nd quarter ...	1,786	8·50	4·74	0·99	—	0·96	133	94
3rd quarter ...	1,493	6·64	3·74	0·77	—	1·00	132	83
October	2,371	9·29	6·96	0·70	—	1·12	154	78
November	1,661	6·88	4·43	0·58	—	0·89	152	78
December	1,550	5·59	3·73	0·48	—	0·92	122	63
1969 January	2,353	8·67	6·31	0·44	—	1·11	81	57
February								
March								

(1) Complete machines only. (2) Excluding certain imported machines only assembled in this country. (3) Excluding tractors, invalid carriages, electrically powered vehicles and certain imported machines only assembled in this country.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Deliveries of aero-engines and aircraft(1)

TABLE 96

	Aero-engines measured by brake horse-power(2)		Aero-engines measured by lb.-thrust		Aircraft			
	Reciprocating, shaft turbine and turbo prop		Turbo fan and turbo jet		Piston engined		Turbine engined	
	Number	Index based on power output 1963 = 100	Number	Index based on power output 1963 = 100	Number	Index of contractors' supply weight 1963 = 100	Number	Index of contractors' supply weight 1963 = 100
1965	568	113	520	66	88	208	327	105
1966	706	143	616	61	102	218	329	107
1967	512	104	525	85	100	191	212	74
1968	440	95	824	184	97	273	181	77
1967 1st quarter	121	83	138	62	21	143	68	86
2nd quarter	110	94	123	80	29	173	67	99
3rd quarter	117	102	94	57	22	203	43	50
4th quarter	164	138	170	139	28	245	34	63
1968 1st quarter	101	89	167	154	26	284	35	61
2nd quarter	111	92	178	136	17	192	43	90
3rd quarter	94	81	198	187	18	130	48	83
October	30	75	94	232	11	425	18	58
November	48	118	100	297	10	402	21	98
December	56	149	87	250	15	630	16	72
1969 January	24	55	48	110	11	373	10	68
February								
March								

(1) Including aero-engines and aircraft for home military use.
(2) Shaft turbines, measured by 'shaft horse-power' and turbo props, measured by 'equivalent shaft horse-power', are included with reciprocating engines measured by 'brake horse-power', the units of measurement being regarded as equivalent for statistical purposes.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Locomotives and railway rolling stock

TABLE 97

Number

	Locomotives					Coaching vehicles		Wagons	
	Electric		Diesel and diesel-electric						
	Added to operating stock by B.R. and L.T. Boards	Exported	Added to operating stock by B.R. and L.T. Boards		Exported	Added to operating stock by B.R. and L.T. Boards	Exported	Added to operating stock by B.R. and L.T. Boards	Exported
			Shunting	Train					
1965	79	75	—	354	211	291	152	1,815	2,803
1966	63	96	—	168	136	399	74	1,500	1,094
1967	1	133	—	63	159	482	54	1,590	982
1968	—	75	—	50	138	550	85	2,120	784
1965 3rd quarter	36	31	—	72	74	44	40	520	543
4th quarter	37	13	—	63	41	173	21	376	778
1966 1st quarter	27	20	—	53	45	102	17	460	481
2nd quarter	22	16	—	40	34	79	15	288	328
3rd quarter	9	18	—	36	23	57	24	334	103
4th quarter	5	42	—	39	34	161	18	418	182
1967 1st quarter	1	13	—	34	46	57	8	370	259
2nd quarter	—	51	—	16	47	192	19	435	361
3rd quarter	—	50	—	—	35	162	19	331	285
4th quarter	—	19	—	13	31	71	8	454	77
1968 1st quarter	—	14	—	13	55	116	33	503	131
2nd quarter	—	23	—	17	32	89	11	584	182
3rd quarter	—	20	—	12	18	181	29	533	170
4th quarter	—	18	—	8	33	164	15	500	301

Sources: Ministry of Transport
Board of Trade

X. TEXTILES AND OTHER MANUFACTURES

Index numbers of textile and clothing industries

TABLE 98 — At average 1958 prices

	Textile and clothing industries(1)			Manufacturers' sales of made-up clothing (2)(3)					
	Orders on hand at end of period	Net new orders(3)	Deliveries (3)	Total	Men's and boys' tailored outerwear	Women's and girls' tailored outerwear	Weather-proof outerwear	Dresses, lingerie, infants' wear, etc.	Overalls and men's shirts, under-wear, etc.
	April 1959 = 100	Average 1959 deliveries = 100		1958 = 100					
1965	121	98	99	134	130	128	128	143	137
1966	105	92	97	133	132	122	131	143	132
1967	114	93	91	130	130	115	121	142	124
1968	129	99	96	132	129	116	128	145	129
1968 January ...	115	88	86	117	112	129	110	129	87
February ...	115	101	99	141	136	138	122	158	131
March ...	117	109	104	154	153	142	138	170	151
April	121	102	91	125	130	99	107	144	118
May	128	115	97	122	129	75	107	138	132
June	129	100	97	126	131	89	130	133	129
July	124	71	85	130	123	124	139	143	112
August... ...	123	86	89	122	106	130	130	133	116
September ...	122	99	100	145	133	149	161	158	140
October ...	123	109	105	145	131	137	153	169	144
November ...	129	125	107	143	143	106	144	154	165
December ...	129	89	87	109	123	78	99	110	121
1969 January ...	130	94	91	122	114	128	110	142	98
February ...	132	108	103						
March									

(1) Wool, hosiery (and other knitted goods), made-up clothing and the spinning, weaving and merchant converting sections of the cotton and man-made fibre industries. (2) The index numbers for individual sectors relate to the total output of manufacturers whose main business is in that sector of the industry and not output of that particular type of garment. (3) These indices have been adjusted to allow for the differences in the lengths of calendar months but not for holidays or for other seasonal variations.

Source: Board of Trade

Wool

TABLE 99 — Monthly averages or calendar months — Stocks: end of period — Million lb.(1)

	Raw wool					Other fibres (2)	Man-made fibre tops drawn	Wool tops	Woollen yarn	Worsted yarn (4)	Woven wool and mixture fabrics(1)			Blankets (1)
	Actual weight	Estimated clean weight									Total	Woollen	Worsted	
	Production		Home con-sump-tion	Exports and re-exports	Stocks (3)	Consumption		Production			Deliveries			
1965	10·0	6·9	33·6	5·5	194	16·61	5·17	20·63	26·8	18·97	26·92	14·61	12·30	2·73
1966	10·3	7·2	32·3	5·0	189	16·34	5·28	19·15	26·2	18·41	25·19	14·03	11·16	2·54
1967	10·2	7·1	30·0	4·6	199	15·67	4·65	16·92	25·4	16·47	24·54	13·60	10·94	2·39
1968	9·4	6·7	32·6	4·9	220	16·05	5·59	17·75	27·1	18·05	24·56	13·53	11·02	2·73
1968 January	4·6	3·3	34·7	4·6	188	17·35	5·94	19·06	29·0	18·16	26·54	14·07	12·47	3·30
February	3·8	2·9	33·5	3·7	192	16·47	5·52	18·55	27·7	17·59	24·53	12·83	11·70	2·90
March ...	3·7	2·8	34·7	6·6	193	16·94	5·30	19·39	28·3	18·80	24·24	12·89	11·35	2·78
April ...	3·3	2·5	32·5	6·0	200	15·88	5·32	18·03	26·6	17·18	22·09	11·77	10·32	2·31
May ...	3·7	2·8	37·9	5·6	199	18·51	6·16	20·95	31·0	20·32	28·12	15·83	12·29	2·28
June ...	10·5	7·2	29·9	4·8	198	14·36	5·01	16·92	23·8	16·34	22·76	13·16	9·60	2·22
July ...	20·2	13·7	31·3	4·6	217	14·61	5·31	18·81	23·5	17·92	25·00	14·14	10·86	1·86
August ...	22·1	16·5	24·1	3·2	220	13·17	4·11	11·72	22·5	14·88	20·95	12·88	8·07	2·52
Sept. ...	15·4	10·5	32·1	3·7	213	15·51	5·81	17·67	26·1	18·44	24·43	13·39	11·04	3·12
October	10·7	7·5	35·8	4·4	198	17·29	6·77	18·62	30·3	21·34	28·45	15·82	12·63	3·50
Nov. ...	9·4	6·5	34·0	6·7	191	17·47	6·42	17·53	29·9	18·99	25·36	13·75	11·61	3·02
Dec. ...	5·6	4·1	30·8	5·0	188	15·09	5·44	15·76	26·4	16·60	22·19	11·88	10·31	2·89
1969 January ...	4·4	3·3	38·1	4·8	185	18·43	6·66	19·62	32·0	19·96	26·95	14·56	12·39	3·17
February ...	3·5	2·7	33·6	4·1	182	15·74	5·80	17·36	27·5	19·08	22·79	11·55	11·24	2·51
March ...														

(1) Fabrics in million square yards. From January 1967 the figures include non-wool fabrics woven in the wool textile industry. (2) All fibres (other than virgin wool) used in woollen spinning and felting, and hair used in the making of tops. (3) Excluding stocks held by farmers. Annual figures are at 31 August. (4) From January 1969 includes the small quantity of semi-worsted yarns which previously was divided between the woollen and worsted yarn headings.

Source: Board of Trade

Cotton

TABLE 100 — Weekly averages — Stocks: end of period

	Raw cotton			Yarn production								Woven cloth production	
				Single yarn(1)						Doubled yarn			
	Home consumption		Stocks	Total	Cotton (excluding waste yarns)			Cotton waste yarns	Spun man-made fibres and mixture yarns(2)	Cotton	Other	Cotton	Man-made fibres and mixtures (3)
	Total	Cotton spinning			Total	Up to 20's	21's to 56's	57's and over					
	Thousand tons			Million lb.								Mn. linear yards	
1965	4·36	4·24	50	12·06	7·55	4·75	2·49	0·31	1·77	2·74	2·53	2·31	19·5	12·0
1966	4·02	3·90	46	11·38	7·08	4·49	2·34	0·24	1·69	2·62	2·37	2·12	17·6	11·9
1967	3·42	3·30	37	9·78	5·92	3·71	2·00	0·21	1·46	2·40	2·08	2·02	14·3	10·2
1968	3·38	3·25	51	10·12	5·85	3·70	1·97	0·17	1·41	2·86	2·12	2·20	14·1	10·7
1968*January ...	3·40	3·28	40	10·23	5·98	3·78	2·01	0·19	1·51	2·74	2·09	2·18	14·8	10·9
February...	3·58	3·46	43	10·68	6·28	3·99	2·11	0·18	1·53	2·87	2·23	2·29	15·3	11·4
March ...	3·65	3·53	46	10·88	6·41	4·14	2·07	0·20	1·54	2·93	2·28	2·32	15·3	11·6
April ...	3·24	3·12	50	9·69	5·71	3·65	1·90	0·16	1·36	2·62	2·12	2·15	13·9	10·4
*May ...	3·69	3·57	49	11·10	6·55	4·18	2·17	0·20	1·53	3·02	2·36	2·57	15·1	11·7
June ...	3·04	2·92	50	9·02	5·12	3·11	1·84	0·17	1·23	2·67	1·93	1·79	13·9	10·3
*July ...	2·78	2·65	54	8·22	4·89	3·18	1·59	0·12	1·14	2·19	1·80	2·12	9·4	7·9
August ...	3·47	3·34	57	10·45	5·98	3·78	2·05	0·15	1·48	2·99	2·07	2·21	14·8	10·8
September	3·02	2·90	59	9·16	5·13	3·16	1·82	0·15	1·27	2·76	1·94	1·99	13·5	10·0
*October	3·64	3·52	55	11·09	6·26	3·92	2·13	0·21	1·51	3·32	2·32	2·26	15·2	11·5
November	3·73	3·61	51	11·25	6·36	4·00	2·18	0·18	1·54	3·35	2·32	2·33	15·4	11·7
December	3·28	3·16	51	9·59	5·40	3·44	1·80	0·16	1·32	2·87	1·92	2·09	12·7	9·9
1969*January ...	3·48	3·36	49	10·64	6·05	3·88	1·99	0·18	1·47	3·12	2·13	2·44	14·4	11·5
February...	3·52	3·40	48	10·64	6·04	3·84	2·02	0·18	1·49	3·11	2·15	2·54	14·7	11·8
March ...														

(1) Spun in the cotton industry. (2) Including other waste yarn. (3) Including synthetic fibres. Source: Board of Trade
* Average of five weeks.

Man-made fibre, hard hemps and jute

TABLE 101

	Man-made fibre (Rayon, nylon, etc.)			Hard hemps(1)		Jute			
	Production			Consumption	Stocks	Raw jute	Jute yarn	Jute cloth(3)	Imported jute goods(4)
	Total	Continuous filament yarn (single)(2)	Staple fibre			Consumption	Production		
	Monthly averages or calendar months				End of period	Weekly averages			
	Million lb.			Thousand tons					
1965	71·84	33·04	38·81	6·30	11·27	2·44(5)	2·45(5)	1·43(5)	0·83
1966	73·47	34·28	39·18	5·82	10·77	2·32	2·33	1·38	0·88
1967	79·59	36·53	43·06	4·89	10·76	2·15	2·15	1·22	0·95
1968	99·05	44·41	54·64	4·48	8·62	2·10	2·11	1·13	1·04
1968 January ...	96·27	44·00	52·27	4·91	13·91	1·96	1·94	1·04	1·20
February ...	94·33	43·36	50·97	4·39	11·80	2·32	2·45	1·23	1·38
March ...	101·88	46·56	55·32	4·68	10·50	2·26*	2·24*	1·21*	1·11
April ...	99·62	45·43	54·19	3·65	8·30	2·17	2·14	1·16	1·31
May	103·51	46·36	57·15	5·21	9·43	2·23*	2·24*	1·24*	0·86
June	95·27	43·31	51·96	4·50	9·00	2·23	2·23	1·26	1·03
July	98·69	42·95	55·74	3·31	9·66	1·62	1·66	0·93	1·13
August ...	87·24	38·86	48·38	4·33	9·25	1·74*	1·69*	0·93*	0·46
September ...	98·78	43·06	55·72	4·40	8·00	2·17	2·20	1·21	0·62
October ...	103·19	45·11	58·08	5·20	10·31	2·12	2·10	1·12	1·19
November ...	103·80	46·11	57·68	4·88	8·77	2·12*	2·22*	1·13*	0·76
December ...	106·03	47·84	58·19	4·34	8·62	2·24	2·22	1·13	1·41
1969 January ...	107·58	50·55	57·04	4·86	7·47	2·03*	1·96*	0·97*	0·71
February ...	96·42	45·04	51·37	4·06	7·87	2·32	2·24	1·17	1·10
March ...									

(1) Sisal line and manila hemp only. (2) From July 1967 these figures are on 'actual weight' basis. (3) Estimated from consumption of yarn by jute cloth weavers. (4) Weekly averages are computed from figures for calendar months published in the *Trade Accounts* of total imports of jute fabrics and jute sacks and bags. (5) 53 week period. Source: Board of Trade
* Average of five weeks.

Hosiery(1)

TABLE 102 — Monthly averages(2) — Millions

	Underwear, shirts and nightwear(3)(4)			Pullovers, jumpers, cardigans, etc.(3)		Children's and infants' outer wear (3) (5)	Socks and stockings (pairs)						
								Women's full-length stockings				Women's ankle socks and ¾ hose	Children's and infants' socks, ¾ hose and stockings
	Men's	Women's	Children's and infants'	Men's	Women's		Men's	Total	Circular knitted	Fully fashioned	Nylon (6)		
1965	5·77	7·49	4·93	1·48	4·58	2·07	8·07	35·11	30·36	4·75	34·89	0·59	5·62
1966	5·52	6·98	4·63	1·49	4·66	1·93	7·65	37·84	34·08	3·77	37·64	0·50	5·54
1967	4·89	6·74	3·84	1·42	4·45	1·69	7·14	38·06	35·69	2·37	37·93	0·39	5·26
1968	5·11	7·30	4·52	1·70	5·43	1·81	7·46	29·27	27·79	1·48	29·16	0·25	5·86
1966 1st quarter ...	5·38	6·12	4·86	1·30	5·01	1·93	6·56	32·92	29·28	3·64	32·78	0·71	6·79
2nd quarter ...	5·99	7·37	4·79	1·35	4·54	1·73	6·69	39·98	35·99	3·99	39·95	0·56	5·68
3rd quarter ...	5·20	7·32	4·78	1·73	4·92	2·07	8·83	41·01	37·34	3·67	40·82	0·44	5·29
4th quarter ...	5·52	7·11	4·09	1·59	4·17	2·00	8·54	37·46	33·70	3·76	37·09	0·29	4·41
1967 1st quarter ...	4·26	5·92	3·62	1·15	4·39	1·58	6·06	30·93	28·67	2·26	30·82	0·69	5·56
2nd quarter ...	5·13	6·08	3·75	1·18	4·20	1·31	5·80	39·03	36·46	2·57	38·94	0·38	5·92
3rd quarter ...	4·74	7·02	4·08	1·46	4·20	1·92	7·06	39·04	36·87	2·16	38·89	0·35	5·02
4th quarter ...	5·42	7·93	3·93	1·88	5·00	1·93	9·62	43·24	40·75	2·49	43·08	0·16	4·55
1968 1st quarter ...	5·00	6·73	3·81	1·33	4·67	1·47	6·31	30·12	28·68	1·45	30·00	0·28	5·73
2nd quarter ...	4·98	7·72	4·75	1·50	4·75	1·52	6·26	30·05	28·52	1·53	29·96	0·28	7·17
3rd quarter ...	5·04	6·86	4·92	1·75	5·37	2·12	7·36	28·08	26·70	1·38	27·96	0·20	5·33
4th quarter ...	5·42	7·87	4·60	2·22	6·94	2·13	9·90	28·83	27·26	1·57	28·71	0·24	5·19

(1) Manufacturers' sales by establishments employing 25 or more persons. (2) Before 1967 figures relate to years ending January of the following year and to quarters ending April, July, October and January. From 1967 figures relate to calendar quarters, i.e. ending March, June, September and December. (3) Including garments made-up from knitted fabrics of all types by establishments engaged in knitting, except those engaged solely in warp knitting and, from 1966, those engaged mainly in warp knitting. (4) From the first quarter of 1967 the figures do not include shirts. (5) Excluding infants' gloves, bootees, infantees, etc. (6) Included in the preceding columns.

Source: Board of Trade

Finished leather

TABLE 103 — Monthly averages or calendar months

	Heavy		Light								
	Sole	Other	Upper	Lining	Other	Upper	Lining	Other	Upper	Lining	Other
	Production					Exports			Imports		
	Thousand tons		Million square feet								
1965	1·09	0·23	16·85	6·27	15·97	2·88	2·22	5·98	4·22	0·12	0·49
1966	1·01	0·23	15·94	5·41	15·95	3·23	2·18	5·73	4·26	0·11	0·59
1967	0·90	0·22	13·86	4·48	13·83	2·96	1·76	5·65	4·54	0·09	0·60
1968						3·85	2·13	6·29	4·83	0·10	1·01
1967 October ...	0·87	0·21	14·35	4·66	14·46	2·80	1·24	4·47	4·80	0·12	0·71
November ...	0·91	0·25	15·87	4·81	15·05	2·93	1·39	5·53	5·09	0·11	0·58
December ...	0·77	0·21	14·80	4·56	14·06	3·27	2·31	5·80	4·49	0·12	0·78
1968 January ...	1·02	0·25	15·95	5·33	16·34	3·69	2·14	6·04	5·06	0·11	1·07
February ...	0·83	0·18	15·29	4·99	15·59	3·71	2·07	6·61	4·69	0·12	0·79
March ...	0·89	0·25	15·85	5·79	15·80	4·17	1·83	6·44	4·95	0·10	0·93
April ...	0·91	0·23	13·93	5·21	14·67	3·76	1·99	5·84	4·43	0·06	0·93
May ...	0·97	0·23	17·18	5·82	17·55	4·18	2·19	6·32	5·06	0·31	1·02
June ...	0·72	0·18	14·86	4·55	15·20	3·55	2·17	6·16	3·99	0·06	1·10
July ...						3·87	1·75	6·07	4·92	0·13	1·27
August ...						4·13	1·90	6·29	3·71	0·02	0·86
September ...						3·64	1·84	5·66	5·28	0·12	0·74
October ...						4·13	2·09	6·59	6·23	0·07	1·35
November ...						4·28	3·01	6·80	5·77	0·04	1·30
December ...						3·69	2·63	6·77	4·74	0·08	0·76
1969 January ...						3·92	2·20	5·87	5·25	0·10	1·20
February ...						3·81	1·63	5·87	3·53	0·03	1·10
March ...											

Source: Board of Trade

Manufacturers' sales of footwear

TABLE 104 — Quarterly averages and quarterly totals — Million pairs

	Total	With leather uppers					With uppers other than of leather(1)	Slippers, etc.	Rubber protective footwear (2)	Plastic protective footwear	Safety footwear (all types) (3)
		Total	Men's, youths' and boys'	Women's, maids' and girls'	Infants'	Sports shoes					
1965	49·5	32·5	11·1	18·2	2·8	0·4	5·7	9·4	1·7	0·2	..
1966	48·5	30·3	10·3	16·9	2·7	0·4	6·0	9·6	1·4	0·5	0·6
1967	47·5	27·4	9·7	14·7	2·5	0·5	7·8	9·9	1·3	0·5	0·6
1968	50·2	28·3	10·8	14·4	2·5	0·6	9·2	10·2	1·3	0·6	0·6
1966 1st quarter...	51·3	36·7	12·1	20·9	3·5	0·2	7·1	5·3	1·3	0·3	0·6
2nd quarter	46·1	30·4	10·0	17·3	2·6	0·5	7·2	6·7	1·0	0·3	0·5
3rd quarter	49·1	28·2	9·5	15·6	2·4	0·6	4·9	13·2	1·6	0·8	0·5
4th quarter	47·3	26·0	9·5	13·9	2·2	0·4	4·9	13·1	1·8	0·8	0·6
1967 1st quarter...	48·2	30·9	10·2	17·5	2·9	0·3	9·5	5·7	1·2	0·4	0·5
2nd quarter	45·3	27·2	9·5	14·7	2·4	0·6	9·3	7·1	0·9	0·3	0·5
3rd quarter	47·5	25·5	9·1	13·5	2·2	0·7	6·5	13·0	1·5	0·6	0·5
4th quarter	49·1	26·0	10·0	13·1	2·4	0·5	5·9	13·9	1·8	0·8	0·7
1968 1st quarter...	50·7	32·0	11·7	17·0	2·9	0·4	11·3	5·4	1·2	0·3	0·7
2nd quarter	46·1	27·3	10·7	13·5	2·5	0·6	10·1	6·9	0·8	0·3	0·5
3rd quarter	51·1	26·6	9·9	13·5	2·3	0·8	7·8	13·6	1·6	1·0	0·5
4th quarter	53·0	27·3	10·7	13·7	2·3	0·5	7·6	14·7	1·6	1·0	0·7

(1) Includes sports shoes with uppers of materials other than leather and single texture plimsolls and sand shoes.
(2) Includes rubber safety boots in 1965.
(3) The components of the heading Safety footwear (i.e. with uppers of leather, rubber and other materials) were included in the totals against headings for the appropriate materials in 1965.

Source: Board of Trade

Softwood and pitwood

TABLE 105 — Monthly averages, calendar months or totals for four or five week periods — Stocks: end of period — Thousand standards(1)

	Softwood							Pitwood		
	Production	Deliveries			Stocks			Production		
		Total	Imported	Home grown	Total	Imported	Home grown	Total	Sawn	Round
1964	4·52	166·67	162·17	4·50	687·5	681·7	5·78	25·57	17·90	7·67
1965	4·37	158·78	154·49	4·29	757·6	750·9	6·72	24·19	17·11	7·08
1966	4·17	150·79	146·66	4·13	687·4	680·5	6·92	22·60	16·62	5·97
1967	4·28	159·85	155·59	4·26	623·4	615·6	7·84	22·00	16·62	5·39
1968	4·73	164·75	160·00	4·74	669·3	661·7	7·55	20·72	15·58	5·15
1967 October ...	4·37	161·67	164·03	4·26	626·6	618·5	8·17	20·44	15·98	4·46
November ...	4·44		152·66		629·0	620·8	8·17	20·76	15·72	5·04
December ...	4·14		155·54		623·4	615·6	7·84	24·61*	18·32*	6·29*
1968 January ...	4·02	151·84	156·08	4·28	603·4	595·6	7·84	15·90	11·98	3·93
February ...	4·22		143·36		565·4	557·6	7·84	20·99	15·64	5·36
March ...	4·49		143·22		509·4	501·6	7·79	31·14*	23·30*	7·84*
April ...	4·65	167·48	135·98	4·89	493·8	486·0	7·79	17·24	12·93	4·31
May	5·12		194·34		459·8	452·0	7·79	20·83	15·48	5·35
June... ...	4·95		157·46		494·7	486·4	8·34	22·07*	16·33*	5·74*
July	4·33	177·42	180·79	4·72	537·3	528·9	8·34	17·11	12·38	4·73
August ...	4·71		180·18		577·6	569·3	8·34	16·40	12·60	3·90
September...	5·06		157·12		618·2	610·7	7·58	23·20*	17·80*	5·40*
October ...	5·39	162·27	178·55	5·07	648·2	640·6	7·58	19·50	15·20	4·30
November ...	5·10		127·39		672·7	665·1	7·58	20·30	15·30	5·00
December ...	4·73		165·64		669·3	661·7	7·55	24·00*	18·00*	6·00*
1969 January ...	5·02		139·30		663·3	655·7	7·55	15·60	11·80	3·80
February ...	4·30		85·31		634·1	626·5	7·55	19·00	15·00	4·00
March ...										

(1) Softwood: standards of 165 cubic feet. Pitwood: Gothenburg standards of 180 piled cubic feet.
* Five week period.

Source: Board of Trade

Hardwood, plywood, wood chipboard and domestic furniture

TABLE 106

Monthly averages, calendar months or totals for four or five week periods
Stocks: end of period

	Hardwood			Plywood			Wood chipboard		Domestic furniture		
	Production	Deliveries	Stocks	Production	Deliveries	Stocks	Production	Stocks	Index of deliveries at 1958 prices	Total deliveries	Orders on hand at end of period
	Million cubic feet			Thousand cubic metres			Thousand tons		1958=100	£ million	
1964	1·22	5·14	19·74	3·3	75	145	10·3	10·9	120	12·0	18·4
1965	1·17	5·01	19·66	3·7	74	163	12·3	18·1	125	13·1	17·6
1966	1·10	4·61	17·86	3·1	71	128	13·5	31·3	123	13·1	12·0
1967	1·07	4·44	14·64	2·7	84	150	12·3	16·1	119	12·7	22·0
1968	1·08	4·63	14·72	2·6	90	170	15·0	19·8	135	15·2	19·7
1968 January ...	1·07	4·73	14·64	2·8	99	153	12·1	14·7	124	13·8	18·6
February ...	1·06		13·93	2·7	90	154	14·2	13·1	140	15·0	25·6
March ...	1·13		13·56	2·8	84	152	19·0*	11·8	152	16·8	28·4
April ...	1·08	4·53	13·80	2·7	102	162	12·8	12·3	119	13·4	27·4
May	1·20		13·71	3·0	95	167	15·3	13·0	130	15·3	24·4
June... ...	1·06		13·50	2·4	91	166	18·4*	14·3	126	13·4	22·5
July ...	1·03	4·76	13·99	2·6	97	171	13·6	15·0	104	12·2	23·4
August ...	0·93		14·18	2·7	88	167	11·5	15·5	120	13·9	24·8
September ...	1·08		13·97	2·4	80	164	15·1*	15·8	146	15·9	24·7
October ...	1·19	4·49	14·26	2·0	96	166	15·5	17·2	158	18·7	24·4
November ...	1·11		14·67	2·8	78	172	18·2	17·6	156	17·3	22·4
December ...	0·97		14·72	2·4	90	170	13·8*	19·8	139	15·8	20·1
1969 January ...	1·12		14·83	3·1	97	169	14·1	20·9	113	13·4	19·1
February ...	0·95		15·22	2·2	74	170	14·2	23·3			
March ...											

* Five week period.

Source: Board of Trade

Paper and board

TABLE 107

Weekly averages Stocks: end of period

Thousand tons

	Newsprint				Building board and other paper and board				
					Production				
	Production	Home consumption	Exports	Stocks	Building board	Other paper and board	Home deliveries	Exports	Stocks
1964	14·43	27·2	0·3	120	1·39	68·9	94·1	2·3	193·5
1965	14·77	27·3	—	114	1·46	71·1	95·2	2·1	215·3
1966	14·17	26·9	—	135	1·11	71·8	97·2	2·1	231·8
1967	13·52	26·1	—	117	0·69	70·4	101·5	2·0	239·7
1968	13·92	27·2	0·1	92	0·70	74·5	107·0	2·6	230·6
1968 January ...	15·09	25·7	—	121	0·73	76·9	117·3	2·2	235·5
February ...	15·78	26·6	—	135	0·73	77·8	113·6	2·5	232·9
March	16·03*	28·4*	0·1*	135	0·76*	75·8*	105·2*	2·5*	230·7
April	15·79	27·5	—	138	0·66	74·5	112·1	2·5	237·1
May	13·40	29·1	—	121	0·84	80·4	117·6	2·4	239·4
June	14·27*	27·1*	—	124	0·64*	74·7*	98·0*	2·7*	248·5
July ...	11·71	25·8	—	111	0·54	65·3	108·2	2·5	229·3
August ...	10·64	23·6	—	103	0·64	63·6	93·2	2·5	232·3
September ...	12·67*	26·6*	—	100	0·64*	72·7*	99·9*	2·4*	234·5
October ...	14·44	30·5	—	97	0·91	80·9	120·0	2·6	232·2
November ...	14·08	30·1	—	90	0·75	81·0	110·7	3·2	227·5
December ...	13·03*	25·9*	—	92	0·63*	71·1*	95·2*	2·6*	230·6
1969 January ...	14·98	26·8	—	101	0·85	79·7	114·1	3·0	231·5
February ...	15·24	27·5	—	92	0·69	81·2	109·3	2·9	240·0
March ...									

* Average of five weeks.

Source: Board of Trade

Paper-making materials and woodpulp

TABLE 108 — Weekly averages — Thousand tons

	Paper-making materials other than woodpulp								Woodpulp	
	Total paper equivalent	Pulpwood		Esparto	Other vegetable fibres including straw	Rags, waste ropes, etc.	Waste paper		For paper-making[3]	Industrial[4]
		Imported[1]	Other[2]				Special grades	Other		
Consumption										
1964	31·45	1·25	8·33	3·02	0·35	2·12	9·8	19·3	48·03	5·66
1965	32·99	1·24	9·64	2·57	0·28	2·03	10·3	20·5	49·88	5·75[5]
1966	32·66	1·47	10·16	1·93	0·21	1·81	10·4	19·8	48·10	5·89
1967	33·69	1·74	12·67	1·34	0·17	1·64	10·5	19·7	46·98	6·02
1968	36·08	1·63	12·26	1·07	0·19	1·52	12·4	21·5	47·81	6·61
1968 January	36·86	1·49	11·71	1·04	0·18	1·50	12·7	22·7	50·97	6·59
February	36·90	1·55	11·89	1·24	0·20	1·55	12·7	22·3	51·75	6·54
*March	35·93	1·56	12·32	1·21	0·21	1·62	11·9	21·6	50·82	6·80
April	37·08	2·06	12·78	1·30	0·17	1·49	12·1	21·6	49·51	6·67
May	38·42	1·39	12·28	1·12	0·21	1·76	13·3	23·7	51·41	6·87
*June	35·08	1·37	12·98	1·11	0·19	1·52	12·1	20·6	47·67	7·03
July	30·72	0·69	9·67	0·92	0·20	1·24	11·1	19·6	38·74	6·36
August	30·32	1·56	9·60	0·67	0·12	1·16	11·1	17·5	40·42	5·65
*September	37·10	1·93	11·64	1·13	0·23	1·62	12·4	22·1	47·26	6·54
October	40·48	1·54	14·20	1·01	0·22	1·63	14·4	24·0	49·76	6·73
November	39·91	1·48	15·45	0·98	0·22	1·64	13·9	23·5	50·12	6·71
*December	34·59	1·83	12·48	1·07	0·19	1·48	11·8	19·6	45·38	6·66
1969 January	42·65	1·47	20·22	0·88	0·23	1·53	14·1	24·6	50·61	6·97
February	41·08	1·69	14·49	1·04	0·21	1·45	15·2	23·7	52·42	7·07
March										
Stocks at end of period										
1963	160·8	15·9	20·8	21·0	5·9	23·7	24·1	97·2	355·1	41·6
1964	157·7	19·9	30·2	11·4	4·9	29·2	31·9	73·3	431·0	59·0
1965	226·7	42·8	27·0	14·2	2·2	24·6	60·3	85·1	362·4	55·7
1966	289·8	47·4	145·4	7·6	5·4	18·4	50·8	114·3	372·9	38·4
1967	237·1	34·4	101·2	7·1	6·0	15·1	40·7	111·4	294·2	43·7
1968 January	214·7	30·8	86·8	5·8	5·7	15·0	35·9	103·9	267·6	42·1
February	214·8	35·8	73·1	6·0	5·4	14·8	35·4	99·9	305·6	44·0
March	209·9	32·9	85·0	11·3	5·2	14·8	36·6	90·8	319·3	48·8
April	202·6	33·0	81·3	11·5	4·9	15·2	36·8	82·7	312·9	47·3
May	204·6	36·1	85·1	9·1	4·4	14·2	37·4	78·2	324·0	47·3
June	202·0	39·8	85·1	11·3	4·2	13·9	34·5	68·8	333·7	43·9
July	208·5	41·5	91·7	9·7	3·7	14·2	36·9	68·6	318·3	48·3
August	220·1	44·8	97·1	7·4	3·5	14·1	36·9	74·4	335·5	55·6
September	208·4	45·2	93·3	6·4	3·1	14·2	38·2	60·1	330·1	49·9
October	203·3	45·3	76·5	7·6	3·4	14·9	42·5	55·5	324·9	47·8
November	202·6	45·0	86·0	4·9	3·3	14·9	43·0	52·0	312·9	47·7
December	194·6	43·4	82·1	5·7	3·5	14·9	41·9	47·8	338·7	42·9
1969 January	182·7	37·2	77·5	3·8	4·0	14·5	50·1	42·1	343·7	46·7
February	160·9	33·1	67·1	5·9	4·2	13·7	44·8	33·5	342·1	50·3
March										

(1) Measured in thousand piled cubic fathoms. 1 piled cubic fathom = 1·8 tons (air dry weight).
(2) Including home-grown pulpwood, wood waste, chippings and rejected pitprops.
(3) Including woodpulp for cellulose wadding.
(4) For the manufacture of rayon and transparent cellulose film.
(5) 53 week period.
* Average of five weeks.

Source: Board of Trade

Rubber and carbon black

TABLE 109 — Monthly averages or calendar months Stocks: end of period — Thousand tons

	Rubber										Carbon black
	Production		Consumption					Stocks			
			Natural		Synthetic						
	Synthetic	Reclaimed	Tyres and tyre products	All other (1)	Tyres and tyre products	All other (1)	Reclaimed (1)	Natural	Synthetic (2)	Reclaimed	Production
1964	12·8	3·8	6·9	7·5	8·0	5·0	2·9	23·1	28·6	4·2	12·6
1965	14·3	3·4	7·3	7·4	8·6	5·6	2·7	25·4	29·1	4·7	13·1
1966	15·9	2·9	7·3	7·1	9·1	5·9	2·5	25·7	24·8	3·7	13·6
1967	16·7	2·7	7·0	6·9	9·3	6·3	2·3	23·7	33·3	3·5	13·4
1967 July	15·3	2·1	5·7	5·5	7·5	5·3	1·9	19·5	36·5	3·8	13·4
August	15·4	1·8	5·5	5·8	6·9	5·5	1·9	21·8	37·5	3·6	11·9
September	15·4	3·0	7·2	7·3	9·6	6·7	2·2	21·2	36·1	4·0	11·7
October	17·5	2·9	7·7	7·4	10·1	6·9	2·5	14·0	34·7	3·9	13·4
November	17·1	2·8	7·9	7·7	10·2	7·3	2·5	19·7	33·2	3·3	14·3
December	18·3	3·1	7·2	6·8	9·8	6·5	2·3	23·7	33·3	3·5	14·1
1968 January	18·9	2·9	7·9	7·7	10·7	6·7	2·5	23·1	34·0	3·3	14·7
February	17·5	3·2	7·2	7·7	9·9	6·8	2·2	24·6	32·6	3·5	13·0
March	20·3	3·8	8·0	7·9	11·0	7·5	2·5	22·1	32·0	3·9	15·4
April	20·9	2·7	7·9	7·1	11·4	6·9	2·4	23·8	33·4	3·8	14·9
May	21·2	3·3	8·6	8·6	12·0	8·0	2·5	26·6	33·9	3·8	16·7
June	19·0	3·1	7·6	7·4	10·8	6·7	2·3	24·0	39·5	4·2	15·9
July	18·6	2·6	6·9	7·2	9·4	6·7	1·9	23·6	42·3	4·4	15·1
August	18·0	1·6	6·2	6·3	8·1	5·7	1·9	27·7	44·7	4·1	12·5
September	19·4	2·9	7·4	8·1	9·9	8·0	1·9	22·8	45·5	3·2	15·5
October	18·3	3·0	9·3	8·3	12·4	8·5	2·5	22·7	40·6	3·2	16·1
November	18·3	2·9	8·3	8·0	11·8	8·3	2·5	22·6	36·3	3·1	15·0
December											

(1) Figures relate to data actually collected. It is known that figures of consumption are incomplete and the following estimated 'deficit allowances' should be added each month to give an indication of total consumption (thousand tons): natural 0·7; synthetic 0·8; reclaimed 0·2.

(2) Stocks held by United Kingdom producers and larger consumers.

Source: Board of Trade

Manufacturers' sales of domestic pottery and brushes

TABLE 110 — Quarterly averages or totals for quarters — £ thousand

	Pottery						Brushes and brooms(1)			
	Earthenware		China		Stoneware and Jet and Rockingham					
	Total	For home market	Total	For home market	Total	For home market	Decorating	Toilet	Household	Other
1965	6,478·3	4,233·8	3,263·0	1,534·2	628·2	462·8	1,627	1,071	2,676	
1966	6,790·6	4,354·9	3,490·6	1,610·5	681·1	496·8	1,600	1,117	2,594	
1967	6,867·5	4,465·2	3,611·5	1,651·5	738·2	510·9	1,610	1,052	2,523	
1968	7,295·6	4,572·5	3,966·0	1,834·2	870·9	586·6	1,702	1,042	2,692	
1966 1st quarter	6,735·7	4,267·7	3,365·7	1,497·8	684·1	492·2	1,693	1,217	1,229	1,460
2nd quarter	6,639·2	4,358·1	3,400·9	1,521·8	653·4	509·1	1,702	1,118	1,200	1,480
3rd quarter	6,553·3	4,177·3	3,327·4	1,527·4	621·7	432·2	1,571	1,071	1,070	1,359
4th quarter	7,234·3	4,616·5	3,868·5	1,894·8	765·0	553·6	1,437	1,062	1,064	1,514
1967 1st quarter	7,005·8	4,460·7	3,651·2	1,592·6	676·8	445·8	1,616	1,138	1,129	1,476
2nd quarter	6,967·8	4,465·9	3,568·7	1,534·9	761·6	511·5	1,684	1,082	1,077	1,578
3rd quarter	6,551·1	4,177·2	3,336·5	1,515·7	664·2	471·0	1,533	1,009	1,019	1,391
4th quarter	6,945·3	4,756·8	3,889·4	1,962·9	850·0	615·3	1,605	980	1,035	1,386
1968 1st quarter	7,204·0	4,564·9	3,925·7	1,728·5	816·1	527·5	1,718	1,067	1,261	1,551
2nd quarter	6,703·6	4,265·8	3,617·2	1,670·6	851·1	602·7	1,758	1,041	1,228	1,524
3rd quarter	7,531·8	4,567·4	4,046·2	1,768·4	865·5	551·4	1,679	953	1,094	1,479
4th quarter	7,742·9	4,892·0	4,274·8	2,169·3	950·7	664·9	1,653	1,108	1,107	1,521

(1) Sales by firms employing 6 or more operatives.

Source: Board of Trade

Manufacturers' sales of floorcoverings

Carpets and rugs

TABLE 111 — Quarterly averages or totals for quarters(1) — Thousand square yards

	All types		Woven carpets				Tufted carpets		Coir matting	
			Faced with wool		Faced with man-made fibres					
	Total	of which for export	Total	of which for export	Total	of which for export	Total	of which for export	Total	Imports
1964	26,267	1,685	10,404	1,000	3,813	266	8,337	263	47	..
1965	27,726	1,934	9,669	1,043	4,644	330	9,635	390	39	2,971
1966	28,168	2,217	9,439	1,003	4,528	384	10,750	665	23	1,826
1967	30,014	2,385	8,522	970	5,107	368	13,167	901	28	1,410
1968	34,047	3,822	9,651	1,474	5,573	541	14,887	1,453	15	2,057
1966 1st quarter	26,307	1,926	9,379	930	3,840	318	9,685	544	26	2,329
2nd quarter	30,222	2,119	10,482	1,037	4,955	385	11,057	536	32	1,626
3rd quarter	25,629	1,934	8,283	876	4,246	357	9,952	551	21	2,034
4th quarter	30,516	2,890	9,611	1,171	5,071	475	12,305	1,031	11	1,313
1967 1st quarter	26,496	2,204	8,177	966	4,543	345	10,736	743	19	1,908
2nd quarter	29,994	2,314	8,426	901	4,982	367	13,285	878	51	1,349
3rd quarter	27,858	2,192	7,404	892	4,731	334	12,732	836	31	1,329
4th quarter	35,707	2,829	10,079	1,121	6,173	426	15,914	1,150	14	1,054
1968 1st quarter	34,929	3,237	10,113	1,189	5,985	485	15,398	1,336	18	2,223
2nd quarter	32,712	3,564	9,655	1,579	5,278	475	14,554	1,306	14	1,607
3rd quarter	31,738	3,927	8,274	1,379	4,839	538	13,917	1,340	17	2,251
4th quarter	36,811	4,560	10,563	1,748	6,190	666	15,678	1,829	12	2,146

(1) Before 1967 figures relate to years ending November and to quarters ending February, May, August and November. From 1967 figures relate to calendar quarters, i.e. ending March, June, September and December.

Linoleum, vinyl and other synthetic materials

Quarterly averages or totals for quarters — Thousand square yards

	Printed felt base		Linoleum in sheet and tile form(1)		Rigid and semi-rigid tiles(2)		Calendered vinyl floorings in sheet and tile form(3)		Spread vinyl floorings(4)		Other(5)	
	Total sales	For export	Total sales	For export	Total sales	For export	Total sales	For export	Total sales	For export	Total sales	For export
1964	16,122	4,297	8,729	3,251	6,675	603	5,851	758	669	282	493	38
1965	14,220	3,869	6,229	2,051	6,755	456	7,192	1,275	741	291	1,745	1,133
1966	11,903	3,480	4,998	1,515	6,510	420	8,344	1,499	570	206	1,477	621
1967	10,681	2,921	4,030	997	6,908	406	8,330	1,290	658	164	1,670	593
1968	9,761	3,172	3,344	713	7,230	478	7,979	1,131	732	168	225	33
1966 1st quarter	11,229	3,441	5,467	1,765	5,650	456	7,646	1,548	470	141	1,628	864
2nd quarter	14,178	3,921	5,219	1,441	6,974	365	9,188	1,537	665	242	1,548	647
3rd quarter	11,852	3,383	4,569	1,343	6,576	412	8,585	1,338	617	249	1,503	644
4th quarter	10,352	3,172	4,737	1,510	6,839	446	7,956	1,574	528	193	1,227	327
1967 1st quarter	9,394	2,514	4,192	1,152	6,158	343	7,535	1,250	593	175	1,482	595
2nd quarter	11,170	2,961	4,356	1,038	7,265	499	8,672	1,396	711	191	1,667	516
3rd quarter	10,762	2,836	3,627	903	6,877	402	8,807	1,281	677	124	1,959	867
4th quarter	11,396	3,371	3,943	894	7,331	378	8,307	1,234	697	183	1,525	378
1968 1st quarter	11,174	4,537	3,854	799	6,829	527	7,870	1,261	640	147	181	27
2nd quarter	10,260	2,528	3,451	726	7,511	486	7,603	835	675	174	243	31
3rd quarter	8,293	2,487	3,043	635	7,451	424	8,565	1,312	769	169	267	52
4th quarter	9,315	3,135	3,028	692	7,129	473	7,876	1,118	845	181	209	20

(1) Figures relate to linoleum on a base of paper or paperboard and printed and inlaid linoleum on a textile base only and from the beginning of 1966 include plain linoleum. (2) Up to the end of 1965 relating to thermoplastic tiles based on coumarone-indene resins, vinyl asbestos tiles and other semi-rigid tiles based on vinyl compounds; from the beginning of 1966 relating to thermoplastic tiles conforming to B.S.S. 2592 and vinyl asbestos tiles conforming to B.S.S. 3260. (3) Up to the end of 1965 relating to flexible vinyl floorings, printed and inlaid. (4) Up to the end of 1965 relating to vinyl on a textile base. (5) Excluding carpets, matting and underlays and rubber or cork floorings.

Source: Board of Trade

Constructional work: Value and volume of output(1)

Great Britain

TABLE 112 — £ million

	Value of output												Volume of output (new work only)	
		By contractors											1958 = 100	
	Total by all agencies	Total new work	New housing			Other new work					Repair and maintenance	Public sector: output by direct labour (2)	Actual	Seasonally adjusted
			Total	For public sector	For private sector	Total	For public sector	For private sector						
								Total	Industrial	Non-industrial				
1963	3,110	2,051	784	323	461	1,267	585	682	336	346	586	473	127	
1964	3,614	2,467	995	424	571	1,472	708	764	383	381	625	522	150	
1965	1,851	2,631	1,051	466	585	1,580	739	841	433	408	671	549	154	
1966	4,039	2,734	1,064	511	553	1,670	801	869	466	403	716	589	154	
1967	4,271	2,906	1,172	586	586	1,734	902	832	425	407	748	617	163	
1968	4,524	3,089	1,255	633	622	1,834	984	850	441	409	792	643	169	
1966 1st quarter	942	631	251	116	135	380	174	206	108	98	170	141	147	149
2nd quarter	1,012	689	272	128	144	417	200	217	116	101	177	146	156	154
3rd quarter	1,047	711	268	129	139	443	219	224	122	102	185	151	157	157
4th quarter	1,038	703	273	138	135	430	208	222	120	102	184	151	158	158
1967 1st quarter	999	667	270	137	133	397	196	201	106	95	179	153	152	156
2nd quarter	1,077	737	297	149	148	440	225	215	111	104	186	154	165	162
3rd quarter	1,102	757	304	148	156	453	243	210	103	107	190	155	168	166
4th quarter	1,093	745	301	152	149	444	238	206	105	101	193	155	167	167
1968 1st quarter	1,070	723	298	147	151	425	225	200	104	96	191	156	161	166
2nd quarter	1,140	785	324	160	164	461	251	210	108	102	194	161	172	171
3rd quarter	1,158	795	318	163	155	477	260	217	113	104	201	162	172	170
4th quarter	1,156	786	315	163	152	471	248	223	116	107	206	164	169	158

(1) Figures for labour employed by contractors are shown in Table 20.
(2) Output of operatives employed directly by government departments, local authorities and public utilities (British Railways, Central Electricity Generating Board, etc.).

Source: Ministry of Public Building and Works

Constructional work: New orders

Great Britain

TABLE 113 — Value of new orders obtained by contractors for new work — £ million

	Total	New housing			Other new work					Work not covered by orders (1)
		Total	From public sector	From private sector	Total	From public sector	From private sector			
							Total	Industrial	Non-industrial	
1963	2,535	980	454	526	1,555	784	771	374	397	327
1964	2,993	1,204	465	739	1,789	927	862	406	456	448
1965	2,912	1,203	510	693	1,709	894	815	431	384	436
1966	2,878	1,154	564	590	1,724	939	785	427	358	394
1967	3,394	1,421	709	712	1,973	1,227	746	447	299	492
1968	3,221	1,258	636	622	1,963	1,137	826	484	342	405
1966 1st quarter...	759	300	145	155	459	252	207	115	92	105
2nd quarter	737	302	132	170	435	232	203	115	88	118
3rd quarter...	725	283	130	153	442	235	207	106	101	102
4th quarter...	657	269	157	112	388	220	168	91	77	69
1967 1st quarter...	968	425	206	219	543	316	227	123	104	143
2nd quarter	856	371	175	196	485	310	175	107	68	140
3rd quarter...	773	300	146	154	473	288	185	119	66	110
4th quarter...	797	325	182	143	472	313	159	98	61	99
1968 1st quarter...	860	367	211	156	493	299	194	113	81	107
2nd quarter	815	322	146	176	493	286	207	132	75	105
3rd quarter	757	290	142	148	467	255	212	114	98	99
4th quarter	789	279	137	142	510	297	213	125	88	94

See footnotes on page 89.

Source: Ministry of Public Building and Works

Constructional work: New orders

Great Britain

TABLE 113 (*continued*) **New orders obtained by contractors from public sector** £ million

	New housing	Other new work											
		Total	Public authorities										Public corporations[3]
			Total	Education		Health	Offices, factories etc.[2]	Roads	Harbours	Water	Sewerage	Miscellaneous	
				Schools	Universities								
1965	510	894	691	124	45	91	66	147	17	24	72	105	203
1966	564	939	757	140	56	118	60	162	22	26	74	99	182
1967	709	1,227	1,012	194	37	101	84	242	50	40	114	150	215
1968	636	1,137	1,004	182	31	140	84	280	17	48	86	136	133
1966 1st quarter ...	145	252	187	41	20	30	17	31	3	4	18	23	65
2nd quarter ...	132	232	178	35	10	31	15	31	4	10	17	25	54
3rd quarter ...	130	235	206	30	10	31	16	58	7	6	20	28	29
4th quarter ...	157	220	186	34	16	26	12	42	8	6	19	23	34
1967 1st quarter ...	206	316	250	65	11	15	18	59	12	10	23	37	66
2nd quarter ...	175	310	260	53	11	24	23	57	15	8	22	47	50
3rd quarter ...	146	288	247	43	8	30	18	52	21	10	31	34	41
4th quarter ...	182	313	255	33	7	32	25	74	2	12	38	32	58
1968 1st quarter ...	211	299	271	68	7	63	25	37	6	10	20	35	28
2nd quarter ...	146	286	244	55	9	26	13	60	4	15	24	38	42
3rd quarter ...	142	255	225	26	7	19	22	74	3	16	26	32	30
4th quarter ...	137	297	264	33	8	32	24	109	4	7	16	31	33

New orders obtained by contractors from private sector £ million

	New housing	Other new work							
		Industrial	Non-industrial						
			Total	Offices	Shops	Entertainment	Garages	Schools and colleges	Miscellaneous
1965	693	431	384	104	100	81	31	8	60
1966	590	427	358	85	84	63	29	14	83
1967	712	447	299	80	77	63	20	5	54
1968	622	484	342	82	95	80	17	4	64
1966 1st quarter	155	115	92	16	28	16	8	4	20
2nd quarter	170	115	88	15	20	18	8	3	24
3rd quarter	153	106	101	32	23	13	7	4	22
4th quarter	112	91	77	22	13	16	6	3	17
1967 1st quarter	219	123	104	28	31	22	7	1	15
2nd quarter	196	107	68	19	16	12	6	2	13
3rd quarter	154	119	66	15	19	15	3	2	12
4th quarter	143	98	61	18	11	14	4	—	14
1968 1st quarter	156	113	81	18	27	20	3	1	12
2nd quarter	176	132	75	16	17	20	5	1	16
3rd quarter	148	114	98	25	30	18	5	1	19
4th quarter	142	125	88	23	21	22	4	1	17

(1) These figures relate to work included in the preceding columns which is to be done without a firm order.

(2) Including garages and shops.

(3) Including gas, electricity, coal-mining, railways and air transport.

Source: Ministry of Public Building and Works

Industrial building in Great Britain(1)

New Standard Regions

Area approved during period(2)

TABLE 114

Million square feet

	Great Britain	North (3)	Yorkshire and Humberside	East Midlands	East Anglia	South East	South West (3)	Wales (3)	West Midlands	North West (3)	Scotland (3)	Development areas: million sq. ft.	Development areas: Percentage of G.B.
Old basis(4)													
1963	39·2	4·2	3·7	2·5	1·5	9·6	2·4	1·6	3·5	5·3	5·0	12·2	..
1964	59·0	8·2	6·0	3·7	2·5	11·9	4·4	3·2	5·0	8·2	5·9	20·2	..
1965	61·7	6·2	6·2	3·4	1·8	11·3	3·1	4·5	5·0	9·2	11·0	24·6	..
1966	69·4	8·2	6·7	4·4	3·8	10·8	3·5	9·3	5·8	8·7	8·2	28·6	..
1967	60·1	7·5	4·5	3·8	2·2	11·1	3·4	5·7	4·2	7·6	10·1	26·6	..
1968	78·5	11·9	5·7	4·3	2·8	10·9	3·8	8·8	6·6	11·9	11·8	35·7	..
1967 1st quarter	18·7	2·6	1·7	1·0	0·5	2·9	0·9	1·6	1·3	2·2	4·1	8·9	..
2nd quarter	14·7	1·4	1·2	0·6	0·4	2·9	0·9	1·5	1·1	2·0	2·7	6·5	..
3rd quarter	14·1	0·9	1·0	1·4	0·5	3·0	0·9	1·3	1·0	2·3	1·8	5·5	..
4th quarter	12·6	2·6	0·8	0·9	0·8	2·2	0·7	1·3	0·8	1·1	1·5	5·7	..
1968 1st quarter	18·0	2·6	1·3	1·1	1·0	2·1	0·8	1·7	1·0	2·6	3·8	8·4	..
2nd quarter	19·1	3·4	1·9	0·8	0·5	3·0	1·3	1·3	2·0	2·5	2·4	7·9	..
3rd quarter	22·3	4·4	1·3	1·0	0·7	3·2	0·9	3·0	1·7	3·3	2·8	11·8	..
4th quarter	19·0	1·6	1·1	1·4	0·6	2·5	0·8	2·8	1·9	3·5	2·7	7·7	..
1969 1st quarter	22·9	2·6	2·3	1·3	1·4	4·3	1·4	2·4	1·6	3·0	2·5	8·7	..
New basis (4)													
1967	87·4	7·5	8·7	6·4	3·6	20·6	6·3	5·7	7·1	11·3	10·1	28·9	33
1968(6)	110·3	11·9	9·0	7·3	4·7	21·2	6·3	8·8	11·6	17·8	11·8	38·0	34
1967 1st quarter	27·3	2·6	3·4	1·7	0·8	5·4	1·9	1·6	2·3	3·5	4·1	9·8	35
2nd quarter	21·2	1·4	2·0	0·9	0·8	5·3	1·7	1·5	1·9	2·9	2·7	6·9	32
3rd quarter	20·6	0·9	1·8	2·2	0·9	5·6	1·4	1·3	1·7	2·9	1·8	6·0	29
4th quarter	18·3	2·6	1·5	1·6	1·1	4·3	1·2	1·3	1·3	2·0	1·5	6·2	34
1968 1st quarter	24·6	2·6	2·0	1·8	1·6	4·1	1·4	1·7	1·8	3·8	3·8	8·9	36
2nd quarter	27·1	3·4	3·0	1·4	0·9	5·3	1·9	1·3	4·0	3·6	2·4	8·2	30
3rd quarter	31·1	4·4	2·2	1·6	1·3	6·5	1·5	3·0	2·7	5·1	2·8	12·5	40
4th quarter	27·5	1·6	1·9	2·5	1·0	5·3	1·4	2·8	3·1	5·3	2·7	8·2	30
1969 1st quarter	33·2	2·6	3·6	2·2	2·0	8·2	2·3	2·4	2·7	4·6	2·5	9·5	28

Area completed during period(5)

Million square feet

	Great Britain	North (3)	Yorkshire and Humberside	East Midlands	East Anglia	South East	South West (3)	Wales (3)	West Midlands	North West (3)	Scotland (3)	Development areas
1963	34·1	1·5	3·8	1·6	1·1	9·0	1·1	2·6	3·9	5·6	3·9	10·3
1964	32·1	2·7	3·7	1·5	1·6	8·1	1·6	1·2	3·3	4·4	3·9	8·9
1965	37·9	4·3	3·2	2·1	1·1	7·8	2·3	1·4	4·0	7·5	4·3	14·3
1966	37·2	4·6	3·3	2·4	1·4	5·4	2·0	2·0	4·1	5·6	6·5	13·9
1967	33·8	3·7	4·0	2·6	1·3	5·5	1·8	2·1	3·0	4·1	5·9	13·1
1966 3rd quarter	9·9	1·3	0·9	0·6	0·5	1·5	0·3	0·3	1·1	1·5	2·2	4·1
4th quarter	10·5	1·8	0·6	0·5	0·4	1·3	0·7	0·5	0·9	1·5	2·3	5·1
1967 1st quarter	8·8	1·5	0·6	0·4	0·2	1·5	0·5	0·5	1·0	1·0	1·7	4·0
2nd quarter	8·7	0·9	0·8	0·7	0·5	1·8	0·3	0·5	0·7	0·9	1·6	3·3
3rd quarter	7·7	0·6	1·9	0·8	0·4	1·0	0·4	0·5	0·6	1·3	0·9	2·5
4th quarter	8·7	0·8	1·5	0·4	0·2	1·1	0·6	0·6	0·7	1·0	1·8	3·3
1968 1st quarter	8·7	1·0	0·8	0·8	0·3	1·1	1·1	0·7	0·5	1·5	0·8	3·3
2nd quarter	8·2	0·5	1·0	0·6	0·1	1·0	0·5	0·6	0·9	1·8	1·1	3·2

(1) The figures relate to schemes mainly over 5,000 sq. ft. (2) For all projects (new buildings, extensions to existing premises and buildings converted to industrial use) for which industrial development certificates were issued. (3) These regions take in the places designated as Development areas under the Industrial Development Act, 1966: the aggregate figures for the Development areas are shown separately. (4) The area of industrial building has, since the introduction of the Industrial Development Act in August 1966, been extended to include all ancillary space for storage, canteens, etc. Prior to that date ancillary space was not counted, except in Scotland, Wales and the Northern region; the figures since that date on the old basis of measurement are estimates of the area which would have been approved under the pre-August 1966 definition. (5) For manufacturing industry only (new buildings and extensions to existing premises).

Source: Board of Trade

Building materials and components

Great Britain

TABLE 115 — Production: monthly averages, calendar months, or totals for four or five week periods — Stocks: end of period

	Building bricks		Cement(1)		Building sand	Concreting sand	Gravel (2)	Plaster	Gypsum	Asbestos cement sheets		Plasterboard	
										Flat (all types)	Corrugated		
	Production	Stocks	Production	Stocks	Production							Production	Stocks
	Millions		Thousand tons		Thousand cubic yards			Thousand tons				Thousand sq. yds.	
1963	595	263	1,153	404	1,214	1,743	3,320	64·6	165·9	4·8	28·5	5,558	2,940
1964	663	115	1,392	313	1,330	2,169	3,991	79·7	205·6	5·5	34·0	6,473	1,333
1965	656	561	1,410	413	1,253	2,108	3,864	82·8	216·3	5·7	31·2	6,264	1,603
1966	589	905	1,374	414	1,215	2,158	4,107	81·4	211·2	5·5	30·3	6,451	2,737
1967	601	405	1,442	456	1,291	2,231	4,397	78·9	222·6	5·4	30·6	7,582	3,061
1968	622	635	1,466	458	1,331	2,253	4,292	82·4	213.3	5.3	32·3	8,501	5,481
1968 January ...	615	503	988	403				78·9	229·0	6·1	30·5	9,027	4,102
February...	607	566	1,251	364	1,249	2,111	4,087	80·0	234·5	5·3	32·6	8,856	5,070
March ...	659	565	1,800*	346				85·0	245·1	7·1*	41·2*	9,252	5,689
April ...	616	554	1,397	393				82·4	236·6	5·7	29·1	8,030	5,371
May ...	699	510	1,504	357	1,445	2,434	4,624	107·8	229·0	6·3	31·3	8,627	4,860
June ...	609	473	1,839*	363				77·9	192·8	6·0*	35·9*	7,976	4,998
July ...	592	434	1,408	351				85·8	187·2	5·5	25·6	7,376	3,721
August ...	598	424	1,368	368	1,336	2,344	4,420	69·9	162·8	4·2	22·1	7,389	3,380
September	621	431	1,697*	346				89·0	156·6	4·2*	37·7*	8,660	3,584
October ...	673	461	1,416	318				85·9	266·6	5·7	36·3	10,418	5,005
November	623	526	1,387	301	1,292	2,124	4,038	80·6	219·6	4.5	32·4	9,019	5,001
December	553	635	1,534*	458				65·3	199·5	3·6*	33·4*	7,384	5,481
1969 January ...	599	761	1,098	455				81·1	244·6	3·8	27·2	8,645	5,373
February...	523	892	1,045	508								7,583	5,205
March ...			1,570*	431									

	Clay roofing tiles		Concrete roofing tiles		Roofing slates		Slates (damp proof course)		Stoneware pipes	Cast iron pipes and fittings (1)	Cast iron baths and other sanitary goods(1)	Metal windows and casement doors	
												Steel	Aluminium
	Production	Stocks	Production	Stocks	Production	Stocks	Production	Stocks	Production				
	Thousand square yards				Thousand tons				Thousand tons			Tons	
1963	290·7	940·4	2,016·3	2,289·2	3·0	9·1	0·2	0·5	50·8	11·3	6·7	5,279	383
1964	271·2	1,182·4	2,679·0	3,049·7	3·1	8·9	0·2	0·3	52·4	11·4	7·7	5,929	477
1965	180·4	886·4	2,743·4	4,248·1	3·1	12·5	0·3	0·6	54·9	9·6	6·9	5,199	557
1966	163·7	633·2	2,596·5	4,235·3	2·7	11·5	0·3	0·9	57·1	8·2	6·2	4,916	614
1967	154·6	533·9	2,759·4	3,590·2	3·2	14·4	0·3	0·9	63·9	6·9	5·7	4,580	567
1968	143·9	464·9			2·6	11·8	0·2	1·1				4,170	571
1968 January	164·2	548·4	2,866·6	4,055·3	2·3	14·0	0·2	0·9	65·8			5,576	557
February	141·3	553·6	2,993·4	4,301·0	3·1	13·8	0·3	0·9	64·9	7·3	6·2	4,420	590
March	128·9	549·3	2,849·5	4,300·5	2·9	13·5	0·3	0·9	67·4			4,732	568
April	125·9	536·8	2,700·5	4,318·0	2·5	13·6	0·1	0·9	66·4			4,230	548
May	163·5	541·9	3,412·4	4,054·3	3·1	13·8	0·3	0·9	72·0	6·1	6·0	4,903	587
June	147·4	544·9	2,639·3	3,880·3	2·5	13·1	0·3	0·9	64·2			4,048	634
July	156·0	531·5	2,773·4	3,740·2	2·6	12·7	0·2	1·0	64·4			4,292	652
August	139·5	523·2	2,488·3	3,423·6	1·9	12·1	0·1	0·9	61·7	5·0	5·2	3,221	517
September ...	147·3	520·9	2,703·0	3,457·4	2·3	11·6	0·2	0·9	62·7			3,991	579
October... ...	155·1	495·2			3·2	11·9	0·2	0·9	69·8			4,488	639
November ...	142·2	461·7			2·6	11·8	0·3	1·1	66·9			4,356	630
December ...	116·0	464·9			2·3	11·8	0·1	1·1	55·2			1,910	444
1969 January									63·0				
February													
March													

(1) United Kingdom. (2) Including hoggin.
* Five week period.

Source: Ministry of Public Building and Works

Permanent house building: Summary of progress

TABLE 116

Number of houses and flats

	Construction begun				Under construction (end of period)				Completions			
	All houses	For local housing authorities(1)	For private owners	For other authorities(2)	All houses	For local housing authorities(1)	For private owners	For other authorities(2)	All houses	For local housing authorities(1)	For private owners	For other authorities(2)
United Kingdom												
1965	403,208	178,756	214,466	9,986	456,334	234,814	204,518	17,002	391,234	164,957	217,162	9,115
1966	389,863	182,956	197,241	9,666	450,188	240,899	193,112	16,177	396,009	176,871	208,647	10,491
1967	459,729	210,456	237,267	12,006	490,439	246,983	226,771	16,685	415,455	199,749	204,208	11,498
1968	405,945	189,329	204,768	11,848	468,667	248,328	205,471	14,868	425,835	187,984	226,068	11,783
1967 3rd quarter	113,398	54,355	55,392	3,651	512,071	257,405	238,119	16,547	104,974	49,197	52,842	2,935
4th quarter	97,114	46,587	48,112	2,415	490,439	246,983	226,771	16,685	118,746	57,009	59,460	2,277
1968 1st quarter	93,093	39,348	51,492	2,253	480,719	242,474	224,467	13,778	100,931	44,857	53,796	2,278
2nd quarter	119,330	59,730	56,829	2,771	495,820	255,589	225,605	14,626	104,229	45,615	55,691	2,923
3rd quarter	102,705	49,573	50,695	2,437	493,698	259,999	219,069	14,630	104,827	45,163	57,231	2,433
4th quarter	90,817	40,678	45,752	4,387	468,667	248,328	205,471	14,868	115,848	52,349	59,350	4,149
1969 1st quarter	73,037	32,945	36,281	3,811	455,124	240,754	198,281	16,089	86,581	40,519	43,472	2,590
England and Wales												
1965	350,279	139,902	202,449	7,928	393,602	185,110	192,940	15,552	347,181	133,024	206,246	7,911
1966	343,267	149,262	185,026	8,979	387,389	191,942	180,464	14,983	349,480	142,430	197,502	9,548
1967	403,573	167,208	225,389	10,976	423,441	195,180	212,913	15,348	362,898	159,347	192,940	10,611
1968	349,939	148,549	190,132	11,258	399,772	195,680	189,772	14,320	371,726	148,049	213,273	10,404
1967 3rd quarter	100,283	44,974	51,967	3,342	441,966	203,260	223,613	15,093	91,745	38,775	50,225	2,745
4th quarter	83,287	35,610	45,364	2,313	423,441	195,180	212,913	15,348	101,812	43,690	56,064	2,058
1968 1st quarter	80,956	30,632	48,173	2,151	414,216	190,970	210,631	12,615	88,299	35,842	50,455	2,002
2nd quarter	103,886	47,934	53,450	2,502	425,960	201,574	210,853	13,533	92,142	36,330	53,228	2,584
3rd quarter	89,035	39,270	47,467	2,298	422,396	204,782	203,847	13,767	92,599	36,062	54,473	2,064
4th quarter	76,062	30,713	41,042	4,307	399,772	195,680	189,772	14,320	98,686	39,815	55,117	3,754
1969 1st quarter	62,625	25,471	33,501	3,653	386,729	188,693	182,459	15,577	75,668	32,458	40,814	2,396
Scotland												
1965	42,228	31,935	8,619	1,674	50,530	41,264	8,103	1,163	35,116	26,584	7,553	979
1966	36,049	27,096	8,386	567	50,550	40,845	8,619	1,086	36,029	27,515	7,870	644
1967	43,394	34,951	7,659	784	53,086	42,574	9,380	1,132	41,458	33,222	7,498	738
1968	44,460	34,009	9,918	533	55,557	44,572	10,578	407	41,989	32,011	8,720	1,258
1967 3rd quarter	9,833	7,601	1,935	297	55,852	44,919	9,642	1,291	9,916	8,080	1,667	169
4th quarter	11,345	9,191	2,126	28	53,086	42,574	9,380	1,132	14,111	11,536	2,388	187
1968 1st quarter	9,557	7,130	2,325	102	53,351	42,834	9,544	973	9,292	6,870	2,161	261
2nd quarter	11,952	9,704	1,986	262	56,022	45,141	9,964	917	9,281	7,397	1,566	318
3rd quarter	10,623	8,496	2,036	91	57,354	46,617	10,081	656	9,291	7,020	1,919	352
4th quarter	12,328	8,679	3,571	78	55,557	44,572	10,578	407	14,125	10,724	3,074	327
1969 1st quarter	8,270	6,242	1,879	149	56,033	44,886	10,693	454	7,795	5,928	1,765	102
Northern Ireland												
1965	10,701	6,919	3,398	384	12,202	8,440	3,475	287	8,937	5,349	3,363	225
1966	10,547	6,598	3,829	120	12,249	8,112	4,029	108	10,500	6,926	3,275	299
1967	12,762	8,297	4,219	246	13,912	9,229	4,478	205	11,099	7,180	3,770	149
1968	11,546	6,771	4,718	57	13,338	8,076	5,121	141	12,120	7,924	4,075	121
1967 3rd quarter	3,282	1,780	1,490	12	14,253	9,226	4,864	163	3,313	2,342	950	21
4th quarter	2,482	1,786	622	74	13,912	9,229	4,478	205	2,823	1,783	1,008	32
1968 1st quarter	2,580	1,586	994	—	13,152	8,670	4,292	190	3,340	2,145	1,180	15
2nd quarter	3,492	2,092	1,393	7	13,838	8,874	4,788	176	2,806	1,888	897	21
3rd quarter	3,047	1,807	1,192	48	13,948	8,600	5,141	207	2,937	2,081	839	17
4th quarter	2,427	1,286	1,139	2	13,338	8,076	5,121	141	3,037	1,810	1,159	68
1969 1st quarter	2,142	1,232	901	9	12,362	7,175	5,129	58	3,118	2,133	893	92

(1) and (2) See footnotes (1) and (2) to Table 117.

Sources: Ministry of Housing and Local Government
Scottish Development Department
Ministry of Development (Northern Ireland)

Permanent houses completed

TABLE 117

Number of houses and flats

	England and Wales					Scotland			Northern Ireland		
	For local housing authorities(1)		For private owners		Others(2)	For local housing authorities (1)	For private owners	Others(2)	For local housing authorities (1)	For private owners	Others(2)
	Houses	Flats	Houses	Flats							
1945 to 1953(3)	1,070,335		266,769		53,626	168,665	11,199	4,456	29,056	15,293	686
1954	199,642		88,028		21,282	35,331	2,608	914	4,345	1,787	192
1955	162,525		109,934		10,867	29,278	3,523	1,268	4,221	2,636	171
1956	139,977		119,585		9,162	26,290	4,576	1,035	4,443	2,270	336
1957	137,584		122,942		8,127	28,326	3,513	598	3,719	2,329	452
1958	113,146		124,087		4,292	27,373	4,061	736	2,764	2,072	102
1959	99,456		146,476		3,449	22,709	4,232	352	2,380	2,458	56
1960	103,235		162,100		3,891	21,503	6,529	560	3,478	2,776	183
1961	92,880		170,366		5,586	19,541	7,147	542	3,697	3,214	188
1962	105,302		167,016		6,349	18,788	7,784	189	4,487	3,411	317
1963	50,599	46,416	150,120	18,122	5,398	21,164	6,622	431	5,724	2,923	195
1964	60,624	58,844	189,785	20,647	6,605	29,156	7,662	353	6,130	3,170	216
1965	63,357	69,667	188,129	18,117	7,911	26,584	7,553	979	5,349	3,363	225
1966	68,798	73,632	179,647	17,855	9,548	27,515	7,870	644	6,926	3,275	299
1967	81,751	77,596	178,028	14,912	10,611	33,222	7,498	738	7,180	3,770	149
1968	75,680	72,369	198,230	15,043	10,404	32,011	8,720	1,258	7,924	4,075	121
1967 April	6,521	6,086	13,896	932	1,096	1,827			370	305	—
May	7,293	5,998	13,969	1,145	876	2,808	1,686	153	457	268	—
June	7,342	5,995	14,926	1,228	1,427	2,802			599	328	30
July	7,143	6,680	14,831	1,450	774	2,011			415	431	21
August	6,311	5,542	14,622	1,204	895	3,111	1,667	169	660	182	—
September	6,565	6,534	16,753	1,365	1,075	2,958			1,267	337	—
October	7,251	6,633	17,528	1,221	723	3,306			517	352	29
November	6,632	6,895	17,647	1,214	632	2,756	2,388	187	324	198	—
December	7,665	8,614	16,660	1,794	703	5,474			942	458	3
1968 January	5,017	4,285	15,553	1,109	577	1,692			550	417	15
February	5,773	5,125	14,432	1,251	704	1,838	2,161	261	558	474	—
March	7,179	8,463	16,617	1,493	721	3,340			1,037	289	—
April	5,452	4,705	16,113	1,254	764	1,702			367	300	14
May	7,904	6,601	18,045	1,285	705	3,043	1,566	318	731	264	—
June	5,976	5,692	15,410	1,121	1,115	2,652			790	333	7
July	6,850	6,290	17,751	1,148	621	2,122			417	165	2
August	5,883	5,779	16,750	1,180	612	2,253	1,919	352	693	355	—
September	6,061	5,199	16,424	1,220	831	2,645			971	319	15
October	6,391	5,987	18,051	1,490	892	3,385			476	379	50
November	6,628	6,708	16,685	1,466	1,031	2,910	3,074	327	520	349	—
December	6,566	7,535	16,399	1,026	1,831	4,429			814	431	18
1969 January	5,177	5,860	14,321	1,042	1,082	1,957			461	379	73
February	4,009	4,621	11,622	970	621	1,735	1,765	102	495	298	—
March	6,040	6,751	11,927	932	693	2,236			1,177	216	19

(1) Including the Commission for the New Towns and new town development corporations; in Scotland, the Scottish Special Housing Association and, in Northern Ireland, the Northern Ireland Housing Trust.

(2) Including housing associations, other than the Scottish Special Housing Association and the Northern Ireland Housing Trust, and houses provided or authorised by government departments for the families of police, prison staff, the armed forces and certain other services.

(3) Figures for England and Wales relate to the period April 1945 to December 1953.

Sources: Ministry of Housing and Local Government
Scottish Development Department
Ministry of Development (Northern Ireland)

Educational building in Great Britain[1][2]

Approval and progress of building

TABLE 118

£ thousand

	Projects approved[3]					Under construction (end of period)[3][5]	Completions[3][5]
	Primary and secondary	Special schools	Further education	Training of teachers	Total[4]		
England and Wales							
1946 to 1963	957,769	27,993	176,425	55,807	1,250,872	204,583	1,029,387
1964	73,585	3,896	27,069	6,936	117,702	188,910	130,857
1965	77,085	3,908	13,931	7,063	105,318	170,046	123,316
1966	107,479	4,711	33,912	8,174	154,276	185,312	120,517
1967	124,389	6,117	35,771	4,786	171,063	223,676	143,467
1968	115,516	3,630	27,413	4,738	151,297	226,479	153,121
1966 1st quarter	44,025	2,107	9,413	2,651	58,196	192,083	25,204
2nd quarter	18,383	1,068	7,592	1,050	28,093	192,333	26,282
3rd quarter	23,061	894	5,449	1,986	31,390	182,704	42,029
4th quarter	22,010	642	11,458	2,487	36,597	185,312	27,002
1967 1st quarter	57,051	2,698	11,046	540	71,335	216,758	31,431
2nd quarter	18,653	1,059	8,877	2,365	30,954	240,896	27,243
3rd quarter	25,055	1,541	9,237	671	36,504	224,554	50,970
4th quarter	23,630	819	6,611	1,210	32,270	223,676	33,823
1968 1st quarter	55,931	1,467	6,393	1,226	65,017	275,061	28,998
2nd quarter	25,236	834	10,162	912	37,144	272,333	31,666
3rd quarter	18,787	903	5,639	1,733	27,062	240,747	58,276
4th quarter	15,562	426	5,219	867	22,074	226,479	34,181
Scotland[6][7]							
1946 to 1963	146,545	2,135	18,425	3,769	170,874	273,175	115,721
1964	16,259	389	1,776	4,140	22,564	56,912	22,655
1965	9,585	594	3,345	1,144	14,668	54,717	23,374
1966	12,580	190	6,374	960	20,104	57,692	22,149
1967	25,468	404	7,490	1,449	34,811	68,026	19,643
1968	35,708	950	13,187	1,088	50,933	90,962	29,039
1966 1st quarter	1,715	92	523	36	2,366	60,086	4,042
2nd quarter	2,448	2	2,522	334	5,306	59,438	5,176
3rd quarter	3,221	13	2,291	590	6,115	57,815	7,839
4th quarter	5,196	83	1,038	—	6,317	57,692	5,092
1967 1st quarter	6,825	81	500	47	7,453	64,753	4,019
2nd quarter	3,195	286	417	249	4,147	65,815	5,602
3rd quarter	5,162	30	1,799	243	7,234	65,944	6,353
4th quarter	10,286	7	4,774	910	15,977	68,026	3,669
1968 1st quarter	9,879	94	6,212	12	16,197	85,353	6,847
2nd quarter	8,879	14	3,284	14	12,191	85,248	6,869
3rd quarter	10,278	837	3,110	21	14,246	89,493	8,801
4th quarter	6,672	5	581	1,041	8,299	90,962	6,522

(1) Excluding building which is wholly financed from private sources. (2) From January 1960 for Scotland and from April 1960 for England and Wales the cost of school meals projects has not been separately recorded. The value of such projects, shown separately for the years 1946 to 1959 in previous tables of educational building, has been included as appropriate under the headings 'Primary and secondary' and 'Special schools'. (3) Figures for England and Wales include the value of projects for which specific approval is not required. (4) Totals for England and Wales include the value of certain projects for which no analysis between type of project is available. As from October 1961, the individual value of such projects is less than £2,000. (5) Figures for England and Wales relate to project values and those for Scotland to contract values. Figures for Scotland include the cost of certain minor projects for which specific approval is not required. (6) The Scottish figures of projects approved refer to approval at the sketch plan stage, which might be some six to twelve months before the start of construction. (7) The Scottish figures of 'Under construction' and 'Completions' are based on the tender costs. The 'Under construction' and 'Completions' figures exclude the value of approved school projects which in 1968 amounted to £1,377,000 and £207,000 respectively.

Sources: Department of Education and Science
Scottish Education Department

Educational building in Great Britain

New places provided in grant-aided primary and secondary schools(1)

TABLE 118 *(continued)*

Number

	All projects			New schools(2)		Other projects(3)	
	Total	Primary	Secondary	Primary	Secondary	Primary	Secondary
England and Wales							
1946 to 1963	3,437,475	1,701,850	1,735,625	1,087,640	1,125,290	614,210	610,335
1964	278,220	116,250	161,970	78,620	108,440	37,630	53,530
1965	246,310	113,985	132,325	72,090	92,075	41,895	40,250
1966	267,560	162,100	105,460	90,540	63,355	71,560	42,105
1967	332,665	216,565	116,100	144,760	83,395	71,805	32,705
1968	364,734	254,224	110,510	171,140	73,995	83,084	35,515
1966 1st quarter	53,455	26,570	26,885	14,480	12,550	12,090	14,335
2nd quarter	51,815	33,790	18,025	21,290	11,305	12,500	6,720
3rd quarter	95,825	63,150	32,675	30,780	22,270	32,370	10,405
4th quarter	66,465	38,590	27,875	23,990	17,230	14,600	10,645
1967 1st quarter	75,930	42,875	33,055	28,730	24,480	14,145	8,575
2nd quarter	61,860	43,950	17,910	32,580	13,080	11,370	4,830
3rd quarter	107,815	85,010	22,805	54,420	13,630	30,590	9,175
4th quarter	87,060	44,730	42,330	29,030	32,205	15,700	10,125
1968 1st quarter	65,120	43,340	21,780	28,240	11,960	15,100	9,820
2nd quarter	79,940	58,360	21,580	44,140	15,470	14,220	6,110
3rd quarter	139,194	99,209	39,985	67,260	30,850	31,949	9,135
4th quarter	80,480	53,315	27,165	31,500	15,715	21,815	11,450
Scotland							
1946 to 1963	522,218	276,109	246,109	..	..	..	..
1964	42,604	23,002	19,602	16,370	12,933	6,632	6,669
1965	59,913	28,819	31,094	22,498	24,826	6,321	6,268
1966	54,337	24,153	30,184	21,866	22,992	2,287	7,192
1967	49,524	26,359	23,165	20,729	14,018	5,630	9,147
1968	45,658	26,064	19,594	19,419	10,317	6,645	9,277
1966 1st quarter	9,691	2,107	7,584	1,697	5,935	410	1,649
2nd quarter	14,338	4,994	9,344	4,154	7,935	840	1,409
3rd quarter	19,363	8,873	10,490	8,195	7,590	678	2,900
4th quarter	10,945	8,179	2,766	7,820	1,532	359	1,234
1967 1st quarter	9,728	6,730	2,998	4,745	1,344	1,985	1,654
2nd quarter	14,114	4,585	9,529	3,665	6,907	920	2,622
3rd quarter	16,940	8,778	8,162	6,743	5,482	2,035	2,680
4th quarter	8,742	6,266	2,476	5,576	285	690	2,191
1968 1st quarter	16,205	6,546	9,659	4,459	5,691	2,087	3,968
2nd quarter	10,507	8,107	2,400	6,220	1,396	1,887	1,004
3rd quarter	11,405	9,056	2,349	7,250	..	1,806	2,349
4th quarter	7,541	2,355	5,186	1,490	3,230	865	1,956

(1) The method of calculation of the number of new places provided differs in England and Wales and Scotland. In England and Wales the figures refer to the number of pupils for which new school accommodation is designed. In Scotland the figures refer to the sum of the approved capacities of all the teaching rooms whether classrooms or practical rooms, and will normally exceed the number of pupils for which accommodation is designed.
(2) Including new schools brought into partial use before completion.
(3) Extensions, alterations, remodelling and war damage repairs.

Sources: Department of Education and Science
Scottish Education Department

XII. RETAILING AND CATERING

Index numbers of retail sales in Great Britain

TABLE 119 — Sales: weekly average 1966 = 100

	All kinds of business			Food shops							
	Unadjusted	Seasonally adjusted		Total value of sales	Grocers (1)	Butchers	Greengrocers, fruiterers	Fishmongers, poulterers	Bread and flour confectioners (2)	Off-licences	Dairymen
	Value of sales		Volume								
Sales in 1966—provisional estimates (£ million) ...	*11,372*			*4,952*	*2,919*	*724*	*312*	*82*	*254*	*217*	*444*
1966	100		100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1967	103		101	103	103	101	101	99	104	106	104
1968	109		104	108	109	105	99	99	111	116	109
1968 January ...	99	108	104	102	103	107	88	100	97	97	107
February ...	98	109	105	103	104	107	91	99	107	92	108
*March ...	104	111	107	105	106	104	98	99	109	100	108
April ...	104	107	102	107	109	104	102	104	116	91	107
May	103	106	100	105	105	103	104	97	112	92	107
*June	105	108	103	105	107	98	113	99	106	93	107
July	107	108	102	105	105	99	110	97	109	100	111
August ...	105	110	104	107	108	100	109	95	112	99	107
*September ...	105	109	102	105	107	102	91	93	111	100	109
October ...	111	109	103	108	111	107	87	101	112	106	111
November ...	118	112	106	113	116	110	88	102	114	136	113
*December ...	145	112	104	128	127	123	102	105	120	262	115
1969 January ...	105	114	105	111	112	115	91	102	107	116	112
February ...	100	111	101	111	113	113	95	98	113	99	113
March ...											

	Clothing and footwear shops				Durable goods shops					
	Total value of sales	Footwear shops	Men's wear shops	Women's wear shops	Total value of sales (3)	Furniture shops	Radio and electrical goods shops (4)	Radio and television rental specialists	Electricity showrooms	Gas showrooms
Sales in 1966—provisional estimates (£ million)	*1,727*	*268*	*362*	*1,097*	*1,176*	*486*	*333*	*109*	*65*	*92*
1966	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1967	102	102	100	102	104	100	108	109	116	108
1968	107	106	106	108	113	106	118	121	140	116
1968 January	94	91	104	92	117	110	124	128	152	103
February	80	72	83	81	112	102	116	128	141	130
*March	92	88	92	93	119	105	125	126	166	147
April	101	105	97	101	98	95	101	114	94	101
May	101	102	101	102	99	102	94	99	111	106
*June	108	110	106	108	99	99	95	113	123	98
July	107	106	108	106	110	108	112	118	131	104
August	100	96	103	100	106	100	111	121	131	109
*September	101	106	97	101	107	97	110	117	148	123
October	106	111	94	109	121	113	125	127	169	128
November	120	122	114	121	126	118	130	131	160	134
*December	169	156	160	176	136	122	167	124	151	105
1969 January	99	94	106	98	112	105	117	138	144	91
February	80	74	82	81	100	88	105	137	129	95
March										

(1) Including co-operative societies' bakery departments. (2) Excluding co-operative societies' bakery departments. (3) Sales by co-operative societies of durable goods and ironmongery and hardware are included in total sales by durable goods shops. (4) Including radio and cycle, and perambulator shops. *Average of five weeks.

Source: Board of Trade

Index numbers of retail sales and stocks

Great Britain

TABLE 119 (*continued*) Sales: weekly average 1966 = 100 Stocks: end 1960 = 100

	Miscellaneous non-food shops								Department stores	Mail order businesses	Stocks at end of period
	Total value of sales (5)	Confectioners, tobacconists, newsagents	Booksellers, stationers (6)	Chemists, photographic goods dealers (7)	Jewellers	Leather goods, sports goods, toys and fancy goods shops	Ironmongers and hardware shops (3)	Other miscellaneous non-food shops			All kinds of business
Sales in 1966 provisional estimates (£ million)	*2,542*	*1,030*	*79*	*350*	*116*	*123*	*298*	*100*	*544*	*431*	
1966	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	137
1967	103	103	105	103	104	102	102	103	104	106	139
1968	110	108	112	111	117	110	109	108	112	115	157
1968 January ...	91	96	103	92	86	75	95	88	112	77	136
February ...	95	100	107	90	96	71	98	104	86	106	139
*March ...	103	104	104	100	119	81	109	117	100	119	151
April ...	104	108	96	96	86	89	110	118	99	102	152
May ...	103	102	94	100	92	88	109	113	99	113	156
*June	105	107	90	113	96	91	104	109	99	111	154
July	109	112	101	115	103	100	104	100	123	89	148
August ...	111	112	107	119	109	121	110	98	94	91	154
*September ...	107	110	107	106	105	113	104	100	104	104	153
October ...	107	104	112	104	105	98	109	102	116	143	164
November ...	114	109	136	109	119	114	113	105	131	163	176
*December ...	160	134	183	170	257	252	137	133	170	149	157
1969 January ...	96	100	114	101	89	82	98	88	117	82	151
February ...	95	101	110	94	94	69	95	99	81	99	155
March ...											

See footnotes on page 96. (5) Including variety and other general stores. (6) Independent retailers only. Source: Board of Trade
(7) Excluding receipts under the National Health Service.
* Average of five weeks.

Index numbers of turnover in the catering trades

Great Britain

TABLE 120 Weekly average 1964 = 100

	Total all caterers			Licensed hotels and holiday camps			Restaurants, cafes, etc. and fish and chip shops			Public houses			Canteens		
Turnover 1964 (£ million)	*1,985*			*286*			*521*			*1,033*			*145*		
1966	111			111			111			112			106		
1967	113			114			112			115			105		
1968	117			122			116			118			109		
	1967	1968	1969	1967	1968	1969	1967	1968	1969	1967	1968	1969	1967	1968	1969
January	95	96	108	74	76	87	95	96	103	99	100	115	109	110	119
February	98	100	104	79	81	87	102	103	103	101	101	107	110	114	119
*March	104	103		90	90		102	103		109	105		105	117	
April	108	115		97	107		107	115		111	119		111	106	
May	111	114		116	119		105	108		114	115		107	113	
*June	123	128		143	153		117	122		124	127		100	104	
July	133	135		161	172		132	135		131	130		94	99	
August	133	138		166	180		137	142		128	130		90	97	
*September	128	132		149	159		133	140		123	125		99	104	
October	108	115		111	121		109	113		107	115		108	114	
November	101	109		88	100		103	108		102	111		116	121	
*December	114	119		93	101		104	108		126	131		108	114	

* Average of five weeks. Source: Board of Trade

Road vehicles in Great Britain: New registrations(1)

TABLE 121 — Monthly averages or calendar months — Number

	Total	Cars	Motor cycles and tricycles (2)	Buses, coaches and taxis	Vans and lorries	Tractors and engines		Other vehicles			
						General haulage	Agricultural	Ambulances and fire engines	Road construction	Invalid cars	Others (3)
1963	122,169	84,240	14,493	530	17,993	67	4,145	138	275	243	45
1964	142,588	99,403	17,931	540	19,945	82	3,972	106	286	292	32
1965	133,394	93,748	13,639	569	20,586	76	3,927	123	307	399	20
1966	124,468	88,987	9,971	568	19,967	98	4,171	128	226	340	12
1967	131,268	93,275	12,302	545	19,717	94	4,625	113	264	321	10
1968	130,115	93,306	10,298	588	20,173	87	4,898	121	277	359	8
1966 January ...	146,050	107,923	9,242	525	22,605	71	4,951	88	254	367	24
February ...	139,530	103,620	10,679	549	19,686	76	4,226	112	191	381	10
March ...	183,905	137,232	14,152	770	24,201	100	6,565	163	277	427	18
April ...	180,203	137,115	12,986	876	23,729	110	4,883	117	220	161	6
May ...	164,197	120,340	14,569	872	22,967	146	4,602	138	331	215	17
June... ...	143,878	102,709	13,612	651	21,610	108	4,249	151	321	459	8
July	138,215	99,704	13,067	541	20,171	133	4,048	146	241	161	3
August ...	90,474	59,427	8,473	245	16,535	101	5,077	97	190	317	12
September ...	85,752	54,637	8,232	417	18,020	93	3,692	113	176	363	9
October ...	82,353	53,047	6,339	399	18,600	68	3,285	132	153	319	11
November ...	79,088	52,797	4,762	461	17,388	106	2,715	140	201	503	15
December ...	59,972	39,298	3,534	505	14,092	67	1,759	136	159	406	16
1967 January ...	136,280	103,564	6,700	509	20,507	73	4,149	103	172	489	14
February ...	123,993	93,092	7,909	492	17,307	46	4,360	138	263	379	7
March ...	142,722	105,209	10,041	817	20,080	57	5,694	151	251	400	22
April ...	143,601	96,940	15,686	736	24,385	118	5,006	112	271	339	8
May ...	152,735	105,221	18,606	868	22,211	109	4,954	101	363	289	13
June... ...	148,528	105,355	16,279	587	20,956	99	4,516	127	268	334	7
July	134,713	92,551	16,466	434	19,587	142	4,732	126	341	320	14
August ...	129,039	89,611	15,588	312	17,480	133	5,506	67	196	146	5
September ...	118,673	81,382	13,862	421	17,280	118	4,895	91	267	342	15
October ...	126,918	88,796	11,843	454	20,047	88	5,044	97	280	259	10
November ...	126,635	91,777	8,721	471	20,582	95	4,260	142	261	310	16
December ...	91,378	65,799	5,946	452	16,143	56	2,383	111	235	244	9
1968 January ...	158,386	122,272	8,770	575	21,515	82	4,362	127	240	423	20
February ...	169,211	131,761	10,375	489	20,385	59	5,346	117	253	410	16
March ...	179,109	136,055	12,625	690	22,422	86	6,331	137	370	387	6
April ...	127,050	86,771	11,370	812	21,703	120	5,352	112	368	440	2
May ...	144,581	102,527	12,588	917	22,532	120	5,075	112	398	311	1
June ...	110,427	75,691	10,541	738	18,349	94	4,298	103	269	342	2
July	111,666	73,860	11,893	502	19,695	134	4,763	136	383	298	2
August ...	132,682	94,322	13,633	407	18,381	105	5,179	70	203	375	7
September ...	107,163	73,148	10,403	505	18,103	57	4,213	198	200	332	4
October ...	122,938	85,309	10,046	480	21,625	72	4,632	143	305	325	1
November ...	112,994	79,366	6,967	494	20,666	60	4,716	113	179	407	26
December ...	85,181	58,595	4,367	443	16,702	57	4,507	84	157	260	9
1969 January ...	120,267	84,417	6,600	597	22,893	64	4,776	114	231	477	98
February ...											
March ...											

(1) Excluding vehicles used by the armed forces.
(2) Including pedestrian-controlled delivery vans.
(3) Figures relate to showmen's tractors and special vehicles of local authorities, watering and cleansing vehicles, tower wagons, and snow ploughs. Other exempt vehicles are included under the appropriate headings.

Source: Ministry of Transport

Road vehicles in Great Britain: Licences current

TABLE 122

Thousands

	Total	Cars	Motor cycles and tricycles (1)	Buses, coaches and taxis (2)	Goods vehicles (3)	Agricultural tractors and engines	Vehicles exempt from duty: Crown vehicles	Ambulances and fire appliances	Invalid carriages	Road construction vehicles	Others
Annual Census(4)											
1963	11,447	7,375	1,847	96·0	1,536	465·2	62·0	16·0	17·4	24·1	8·1
1964	12,369	8,247	1,835	96·6	1,582	475·0	64·3	16·3	19·5	25·4	8·2
1965	12,937	8,917	1,706	96·5	1,607	469·9	68·4	72·7			
1966	13,287	9,513	1,497	93·8	1,575	450·1	73·7	13·7	21·0	22·8	26·6
1967	14,096	10,303	1,443	94·2	1,624	468·8	80·5	11·7	22·7	21·8	26·5
1968(6)	14,446	10,816	1,325	100·0	1,570	461·0	82·0	92·0			
Index(5) August 1967=100											
1967 August 31	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100 0	..	100·0			
Nov. 30	100·4	100·4	98·7	101·0	101·2	102·4	..	101·1			
1968 February 29	100·1	101·1	95·1	96·7	98·3	98·7	..	99·2			
May 31	103·2	105·2	95·3	101·0	98·4	99·8	..	101·7			
August 31	103·8	106·2	93·5	104·1	97·5	99·8	..	102·7			
Nov. 30	103·7	106·5	91·1	106·1	97·0	100·3	..	104·1			

(1) Including pedestrian controlled delivery vans. (2) Including trolleybuses, tramcars and some private hire cars. (3) Up to and including 1964, showmen's vehicles, tower wagons and local authorities' watering and cleansing vehicles are included. From 1965 onwards, tower wagons used for street lighting and local authorities' vehicles are included with vehicles exempt from duty. All the figures include both general and agricultural goods vehicles, general haulage tractors and showmen's tractors. (4) Licences current at any time during the September quarter. The figures for all years except 1966 are on a sample basis. (5) Quarterly estimates based on licence issues and refunds. (6) Provisional.

Source: Ministry of Transport

Index numbers of road traffic and goods transport by road and rail

TABLE 123

Monthly average 1958=100

	Index of vehicle miles travelled on roads in Great Britain: All road traffic	Pedal cycles	Motor traffic: All motor traffic	Cars	Mopeds	Motor scooters	Other motor cycles	Buses and coaches	Light vans (2)	Other goods vehicles	Index of ton-miles of inland goods transported(1): Total	Rail	Road
1964	151	57	164	191	141	163	67	101	146	133	126	87	155
1965	159	50	175	209	130	146	61	100	155	133	129	84	163
1966	168	44	186	228	123	137	50	99	155	135	129	80	165
1967	176	41	195	243	111	123	42	101	158	139	130	74	170
1968												87	
1968 January	150	31	167	203	92	93	28	95	143	133	128	86	164
February... ...	150	29	168	208	84	80	26	88	141	125	138	93	175
March	174	37	193	241	105	101	37	96	160	136	141	92	182
April	182	43	202	253	108	135	46	98	163	141	133	82	174
May	193	42	215	263	113	129	41	106	181	163	139	86	182
June	200	43	224	292	115	145	46	110	156	130	131	77	172
July	215	45	239	306	143	142	49	111	167	160	130	72	176
August	216	43	241	315	98	121	49	106	177	137	124	78	161
September ...	193	36	216	276	116	130	42	101	162	141	137	87	178
October	186	38	207	258	101	103	42	103	159	153	143	92	184
November ...	157	29	176	216	98	85	31	96	139	146	143	97	181
December ...	148	21	167	204	66	67	24	102	139	139	120	96	143
1969 January												86	
February... ...													
March													

(1) The railway figures are derived from statistics compiled by the British Railways Board. The annual figures for road transport are estimated from periodic sample enquiries, traffic count data, trends in the goods vehicle population and changes in industrial output. The monthly road transport figures are estimated from traffic count data. Revised monthly figures using provisional results from 200 point manual traffic count data.

(2) Not over 30 cwt. unladen weight.

Sources: Ministry of Transport
Road Research Laboratory

Road casualties in Great Britain

TABLE 124

Number

	Total casualties		Nature of casualty			Class of road user			
	All ages	Under 15 years	Killed	Seriously injured	Slightly injured	Pedestrians	Pedal cyclists	Motor cyclists and their passengers (1)	Other drivers and their passengers
1963	356,179	55,500	6,922	87,776	261,481	75,129	37,890	82,410	160,750
1964	385,498	59,556	7,820	95,460	282,218	80,480	37,624	91,283	176,111
1965	397,937	62,001	7,952	97,865	292,120	85,067	34,972	83,414	194,484
1966	392,457	61,948	7,985	99,838	284,634	58,623	30,149	73,243	203,442
1967	369,978	63,016	7,319	93,757	268,902	84,279	27,836	63,615	194,248
1968	349,208	63,962	6,810	88,563	253,835	83,651	26,230	58,179	181,148
1966 January	27,031	3,185	579	6,841	19,611	6,058	2,066	4,129	14,778
February	26,268	3,441	597	6,531	19,140	6,026	1,877	4,369	13,996
March	29,831	5,008	558	7,574	21,699	7,183	2,169	5,748	14,731
April	32,568	5,281	585	8,158	23,825	6,926	2,302	5,949	17,391
May	35,151	6,576	617	8,777	25,757	7,798	2,921	7,417	17,015
June	34,415	6,378	609	8,729	25,077	7,160	3,001	7,274	16,980
July	35,671	6,316	690	9,177	25,804	7,034	2,847	7,279	18,511
August	33,555	6,018	636	8,681	24,238	6,638	2,612	6,802	17,503
September	31,911	5,717	648	8,206	23,057	6,978	2,695	6,869	15,369
October	35,120	5,453	692	8,885	25,543	7,574	2,696	6,728	18,122
November	33,374	4,219	794	8,617	23,963	7,595	2,376	5,579	17,824
December	37,562	4,356	980	9,662	26,920	8,653	2,587	5,100	21,222
1967 January	27,493	3,591	598	7,063	19,832	6,404	2,025	3,977	15,087
February	27,208	4,203	626	6,944	19,638	6,642	1,875	4,083	14,608
March	30,199	5,339	605	7,647	21,947	7,239	1,963	5,076	15,921
April	28,553	5,202	514	7,132	20,907	6,696	2,068	4,922	14,867
May	34,085	6,195	558	8,622	24,905	7,436	2,442	5,725	18,482
June	30,884	5,968	553	7,870	22,461	6,706	2,550	6,044	15,584
July	34,677	6,495	661	8,828	25,188	7,058	2,849	6,761	18,009
August	33,737	6,538	611	8,686	24,440	6,707	2,779	6,293	17,958
September	33,560	5,875	706	8,457	24,397	7,204	2,621	6,201	17,534
October	30,995	5,487	594	7,675	22,726	7,754	2,522	5,642	15,077
November	28,880	4,289	639	7,292	20,949	7,138	2,115	4,916	14,711
December	29,707	3,834	654	7,541	21,512	7,295	2,027	3,975	16,410
1968 January	23,885	3,357	498	6,251	17,136	6,030	1,761	3,389	12,705
February	24,679	4,092	506	6,119	18,054	6,193	1,730	3,446	13,310
March	27,493	5,337	549	6,930	20,014	7,298	1,899	4,483	13,813
April	26,715	5,919	449	6,572	19,694	6,880	2,261	4,501	13,073
May	28,747	6,139	514	7,192	21,041	7,394	2,366	5,147	13,840
June	30,272	6,113	535	7,519	22,218	6,733	2,358	5,518	15,663
July	31,253	6,235	568	7,957	22,728	6,917	2,674	5,826	15,836
August	32,139	6,358	620	8,222	23,297	6,871	2,521	5,985	16,762
September	31,228	5,950	620	7,966	22,642	7,131	2,304	5,518	16,275
October	31,377	5,962	629	8,086	22,662	8,017	2,397	5,546	15,417
November	30,783	4,593	658	7,952	22,173	7,475	2,163	4,982	14,711
December	30,637	3,907	664	7,797	22,176	6,712	1,796	3,838	18,291

(1) Including moped riders, motor scooter riders and passengers.

Sources: Ministry of Transport
Scottish Development Department

Public road passenger transport: Receipts and passenger journeys

TABLE 125

	Passenger journeys						Passenger receipts					
	Total	Buses and coaches			Trolley buses	Tramcars	Total	Buses and coaches			Trolley buses	Tramcars
		London Transport Board	Local(1) authorities	(1) Other operators				London Transport Board	Local(1) authorities	(1) Other operators		
	Millions						£ million					
1963	12,732	2,430	4,750	5,060	476	16	349·45	61·07	92·45	187·41	8·11	0·41
1964	12,266	2,252	4,719	4,911	368	16	364·40	63·23	97·89	196·09	6·74	0·46
1965	11,652	2,132	4,539	4,681	285	15	373·93	63·13	101·99	202·70	5·65	0·46
1966	11,028	1,978	4,408	4,440	188	14	391·63	63·27	107·09	216·77	4·04	0·46
1967	10,617	1,979	4,226	4,292	106	13	391·51	63·26	108·50	217·11	2·41	0·45
1968		1,946	4,052		68	12		65·24	110·48		1·69	0·42
1966 1st quarter ...	2,705	493	1,096	1,064	51	1	86·30	15·39	26·02	43·77	1·09	0·03
2nd quarter ...	2,748	503	1,100	1,091	51	3	98·22	16·05	26·93	54·06	1·08	0·10
3rd quarter ...	2,727	492	1,091	1,089	47	8	100·94	15·90	26·72	57·03	1·03	0·26
4th quarter ...	2,726	490	1,122	1,073	39	2	99·98	15·93	27·47	55·66	0·85	0·07
1967 1st quarter ...	2,634	483	1,071	1,048	31	1	89·37	15·35	26·35	46·92	0·71	0·04
2nd quarter ...	2,723	501	1,094	1,095	30	3	98·91	16·00	27·16	55·01	0·66	0·08
3rd quarter ...	2,662	492	1,057	1,080	25	8	104·49	15·95	27·33	60·35	0·60	0·26
4th quarter ...	2,600	503	1,004	1,069	21	2	98·78	15·96	27·66	54·83	0·48	0·07
1968 1st quarter ...	2,527	491	1,010	1,007	19	1	90·46	15·50	27·28	47·20	0·45	0·03
2nd quarter ...	2,539	499	993	1,026	18	3	99·51	16·03	26·60	56·37	0·42	0·09
3rd quarter ...	2,530	476	1,010	1,021	16	7	108·81	16·52	27·66	63·97	0·42	0·24
4th quarter ...		480	1,039		15	2		17·19	28·94		0·39	0·07

(1) Quarterly figures are estimates. Annual figures are actual totals.

Source: Ministry of Transport

British Railways and London Transport railways: Passenger journeys

TABLE 126

Four-weekly totals or averages(1)

Millions

	British Railways				London Transport railways			
	Total	Full fares	Reduced fares(2)	Season tickets(3)	Total	Full fares	Reduced fares(2)	Season tickets(3)
1963	71·99	21·04	28·57	22·38	51·67	36·39	2·06	13·21
1964	70·97	23·23	24·89	22·85	51·56	38·05		13·51
1965	66·36	24·14	20·39	21·83	50·41	37·27		13·13
1966	64·47	24·27	17·98	22·23	50·69	37·36		13·33
1967	63·77	23·35	17·89	22·52	50·62	36·55		14·07
1968	64·67	23·88	17·46	23·32	49·80	35·91		13·89
Four weeks ended:								
1967 October 7	63·48	23·36	17·30	22·83	50·80	36·78		14·02
November 4	64·03	23·17	17·27	22·59	54·02	39·26		14·76
December 2	61·98	22·98	16·82	22·18	52·57	37·67		14·90
December 30	59·34	23·30	16·14	19·90	49·00	35·79		13·21
1968 January 27	64·06	23·66	16·03	24·37	51·27	36·82		14·45
February 24	63·57	23·46	15·84	24·27	51·00	36·02		14·98
March 23	63·00	22·61	15·70	24·69	51·39	36·35		15·04
April 20	65·80	24·82	17·65	23·33	49·15	35·70		13·45
May 18	66·56	24·55	17·88	24·14	51·30	36·89		14·41
June 15	66·97	24·74	18·70	23·53	49·21	35·40		13·80
July 13	53·86	19·77	13·57	20·52	45·94	32·34		13·60
August 10	67·49	25·29	20·14	22·06	49·76	36·86		12·90
September 7	67·50	24·91	20·64	21·96	47·25	35·15		12·10
October 5	66·56	24·47	18·21	23·87	49·76	35·99		13·77
November 2	67·01	24·35	17·83	24·83	52·44	37·88		14·56
November 30	64·68	24·07	17·17	23·44	51·12	36·65		14·46
December 28	63·60	23·78	17·61	22·21	47·81	34·76		13·05
1969 January 25	63·54	22·99	16·09	24·47	51·18	36·93		14·25
February 22	62·60	22·43	15·72	24·46	50·57	35·85		14·71
March 22								

(1) The four-weekly averages for each year are computed from calendar year totals.

(2) The reduced fares category includes statutory day returns in the London area. From 29 January 1966 full fares and reduced fares have been combined for London Transport railways. Similarly, the annual figure for 1965 has been combined, with an appropriate revision for 1964.

(3) Season ticket journeys are calculated on the basis of 600 journeys per annum for London Transport, and 540 journeys per annum for British Railways.

Source: Ministry of Transport

British Railways and inland waterways: Freight traffic

TABLE 127 — Four-weekly totals or averages(1)

	British Railways (2)								Inland waterways				
	Traffic originating				Net ton-mile				Traffic originating				Net ton-miles
	Total	Coal and coke	Iron and steel	Other traffic	Total	Coal and coke	Iron and steel	Other traffic	Total	Merchandise	Liquids	Coal and coke	
	Million tons				Millions				Thousand tons				Thousands
1963	18·02	11·62	3·01	3·39	1,181·0	599·0	201·0	382·0	699	228	171	299	11,359
1964	18·33	11·28	3·51	3·54	1,228·0	571·0	249·0	407·0	688	234	165	289	10,793
1965	17·53	10·61	3·53	3·39	1,184·0	537·0	247·0	399·0	645	229	158	258	10,159
1966	16·40	10·12	2·98	3·30	1,139·0	527·8	206·6	405·0	587	220	146	221	9,333
1967	15·44	9·40	2·75	3·29	1,042·9	459·9	185·5	397·5	546	190	112	241	7,568
1968													
Four weeks ended:													
1966 October 8	16·97	10·40	3·26	3·31	1,142·0	533·0	217·0	390·0	535	184	112	239	8,856
November 5	17·30	10·74	3·05	3·51	1,179·0	546·0	199·0	431·0	566	192	133	241	9,461
December 3	17·72	11·04	2·99	3·69	1,225·0	566·0	193·0	463·0	547	174	128	246	8,853
December 31	15·15	9·26	2·39	3·50	1,081·0	475·0	167·0	438·0	705	332	146	226	8,850
1967 January 28	16·56	10·63	2·45	3·48	1,122·0	543·0	178·0	400·0	563	176	132	255	8,138
February 25	16·58	10·39	2·77	3·42	1,118·0	515·0	193·0	409·0	547	147	135	266	7,985
March 25	15·30	9·39	2·65	3·26	1,017·0	441·0	185·0	388·0	527	155	130	242	7,724
April 22	14·97	8·86	2·72	3·39	1,008·0	420·0	187·0	398·0	524	173	132	219	7,922
May 20	16·40	9·85	3·03	3·52	1,104·0	476·0	204·0	423·0	527	174	105	248	7,677
June 17	15·27	9·23	2·91	3·13	1,031·0	462·0	193·0	376·0	513	158	109	246	7,470
July 15	14·62	8·90	2·55	3·18	1,006·0	451·0	176·0	378·0	697	346	94	258	7,697
August 12	12·36	7·18	2·39	2·80	840·0	366·0	147·0	324·0	453	167	87	199	7,020
September 9	13·71	8·25	2·58	2·88	932·0	409·0	166·0	357·0	479	168	84	227	6,640
October 7	15·38	9·43	2·86	3·08	1,046·0	467·0	195·0	383·0	541	203	103	235	7,512
November 4	16·41	10·15	2·88	3·38	1,107·0	495·0	195·0	415·0	667	306	105	256	7,755
December 2	17·44	10·86	2·85	3·73	1,179·0	521·0	192·0	466·0	549	167	115	267	7,806
December 30	15·59	9·24	2·87	3·48	1,058·0	442·0	185·0	431·0	520	149	139	232	7,088
1968 January 27	16·40	10·16	2·72	3·52	1,114·0	507·0	197·0	410·0	508	143	114	251	7,349
February 24	17·49	10·78	3·04	3·67	1,222·0	547·0	216·0	459·0	573	188	133	252	8,152
March 23	17·34	10·50	2·93	3·91	1,210·0	504·0	219·0	487·0	727	314	141	272	8,266
April 20	15·39	9·04	2·75	3·56	1,077·0	447·0	190·0	440·0	601	236	121	244	7,065
May 18	16·54	9·76	3·17	3·61	1,154·0	489·0	222·0	443·0	573	188	114	270	7,526
June 15	15·49	9·15	2·98	3·36	1,097·0	473·0	208·0	416·0	524	180	95	249	6,818
July 13	13·27	7·84	2·58	2·86	925·0	400·0	175·0	350·0	539	175	104	260	7,305
August 10	13·32	7·43	2·84	3·06	959·0	402·0	180·0	377·0	468	155	91	222	6,595
September 7	14·30	8·49	2·82	3·00	1,011·0	441·0	191·0	379·0	530	218	83	229	6,769
October 5	16·35	9·67	3·19	3·49	1,161·0	498·0	218·0	445·0	542	242	83	216	6,622
November 2	16·79	9·86	3·18	3·76	1,221·0	519·0	218·0	484·0	493	188	78	227	6,872
November 30	17·65	10·40	3·32	3·93	1,271·0	540·0	232·0	499·0	621	231	108	282	7,449
December 28	15·47	9·01	2·83	3·63	1,137·0	473·0	199·0	465·0	618	208	151	259	7,293
1969 January 25	16·11	9·81	2·93	3·38	1,136·0	546·0	212·0	378·0	500	145	105	251	6,408
February 22	16·30	9·84	3·12	3·35	1,120·0	511·0	228·0	381·0	556	184	112	260	7,312
March 22													

(1) The four-weekly averages for each year are computed from calendar year totals.
(2) From January 1969, figures do not include tonnages carried on behalf of National Carriers Ltd. and Freightliners Ltd.

Source: Ministry of Transport

United Kingdom airlines(1)

Aircraft miles flown, passengers, mail and freight carried

TABLE 128

Monthly averages or calendar months

	All services				Domestic services				International services			
	Aircraft miles flown	Passengers carried	Mail carried	Freight carried (2)	Aircraft miles flown	Passengers carried	Mail carried	Freight carried (2)	Aircraft miles flown	Passengers carried	Mail carried	Freight carried (2)
	Thousands		Short tons(3)		Thousands		Short tons(3)		Thousands		Short tons(3)	
1963...	9,815	720·6	1,582	25,064	1,515	306·1	564	2,609	8,300	414·5	1,017	22,455
1964...	10,614	812·9	1,723	25,108	1,764	351·3	582	3,388	8,849	461·5	1,141	21,720
1965...	11,443	905·9	1,837	25,392	1,824	389·1	624	4,365	9,619	516·8	1,213	21,027
1966...	11,993	1,004·8	2,071	29,993	2,063	426·9	704	6,382	9,930	577·9	1,366	23,612
1967...	12,717	1,026·6	1,908	26,598	2,174	442·8	599	6,190	10,543	583·8	1,309	20,407
1968...	12,831	1,015·4	2,008	25,346	2,082	420·1	592	6,684	10,748	595·3	1,417	18,663
1966 July	14,727	1,609·2	1,928	41,812	3,089	734·9	637	7,590	11,637	874·2	1,291	34,222
August ...	14,547	1,568·9	1,830	37,453	2,971	678·7	621	6,119	11,577	890·1	1,209	31,334
September ...	15,043	1,354·6	2,027	36,045	2,626	561·7	663	6,245	12,417	792·9	1,364	29,800
October ...	11,603	886·2	1,901	27,483	1,966	360·7	651	6,052	9,637	525·5	1,250	21,431
November ...	9,552	610·5	2,082	21,375	1,458	248·7	678	5,563	8,094	361·7	1,404	15,812
December ...	10,792	683·3	2,844	23,184	1,512	267·4	672	5,598	9,280	415·9	2,173	17,586
1967 January ...	9,896	651·9	1,915	20,672	1,562	265·3	601	5,018	8,334	386·7	1,314	15,655
February ...	9,361	587·8	1,742	20,036	1,461	250·6	539	4,983	7,899	337·1	1,203	15,053
March ...	11,714	853·9	2,013	24,896	1,720	357·4	627	5,673	9,994	496·6	1,385	19,223
April	12,070	925·3	1,800	25,223	1,992	386·2	563	5,732	10,078	539·1	1,237	19,491
May	13,257	1,121·3	1,842	26,535	2,457	494·7	628	6,066	10,801	626·6	1,214	20,469
June	15,797	1,320·1	1,963	31,867	2,848	595·1	621	6,457	12,950	725·0	1,342	25,410
July	15,332	1,551·7	1,706	31,367	3,111	722·5	555	6,303	12,222	829·2	1,151	25,064
August ...	15,305	1,596·8	1,746	32,535	3,058	715·3	593	6,166	12,246	881·5	1,153	26,369
September ...	15,996	1,449·6	1,902	33,835	2,714	614·6	561	7,170	13,281	835·0	1,341	26,666
October ...	12,428	969·0	1,895	26,924	2,062	399·8	651	7,242	10,366	569·2	1,244	19,682
November ...	10,297	633·5	1,935	23,219	1,567	256·2	642	7,013	8,730	377·3	1,293	16,206
December ...	11,145	658·1	2,437	22,062	1,532	256·3	602	6,461	9,614	401·8	1,836	15,601
1968 January ...	10,184	640·9	1,891	20,006	1,545	250·8	600	6,107	8,639	390·1	1,291	13,899
February ...	10,254	602·4	1,849	20,462	1,482	243·8	598	6,265	8,772	358·6	1,251	14,197
March ...	12,560	794·1	2,107	25,357	1,665	311·4	609	7,100	10,894	482·7	1,499	18,257
April	12,464	989·9	1,824	25,080	2,010	385·0	580	6,549	10,455	604·9	1,244	18,531
May	13,581	1,047·2	2,068	25,921	2,396	448·4	653	7,105	11,185	598·7	1,415	18,816
June	13,360	1,265·5	1,728	26,282	2,772	585·8	568	6,770	10,588	679·7	1,161	19,514
July... ...	13,768	1,485·9	1,810	28,003	2,974	695·2	640	7,195	10,794	790·7	1,170	20,808
August ...	15,635	1,551·8	1,876	28,303	2,864	663·8	586	6,250	12,770	887·9	1,290	22,053
September ...	16,322	1,395·1	1,971	30,810	2,510	553·7	510	6,861	13,812	841·3	1,461	23,949
October ...	12,684	951·8	2,043	26,839	1,828	362·0	548	7,187	10,857	589·8	1,495	19,652
November ...	10,792	696·3	2,114	23,930	1,501	273·1	579	6,797	9,290	423·2	1,535	17,133
December ...	12,363	763·8	2,817	23,164	1,439	268·2	629	6,020	10,925	495·6	2,188	17,144

(1) Scheduled services only. Miles are statute miles.
(2) Including weight of vehicles carried on vehicle ferry services, excess baggage and diplomatic bags.
(3) Short tons of 2,000 lb.

Source: Board of Trade

United Kingdom airlines(1)

Ton-miles and passenger miles

TABLE 128 (*continued*) Monthly averages or calendar months

	All services				Domestic services				International services			
	Mail	Freight (2)	Passenger	Passenger miles	Mail	Freight (2)	Passenger	Passenger miles	Mail	Freight (2)	Passenger	Passenger miles
	Thousand short ton-miles(3)			Millions	Thousand short ton-miles(3)			Millions	Thousand short ton-miles(3)			Millions
1963...	2,915	11,208	43,234	453·9	143	480	6,038	67·8	2,772	10,727	37,195	386·1
1964...	3,196	13,578	50,953	535·4	149	641	7,000	78·6	3,047	12,938	43,959	456·7
1965...	3,266	17,346	58,649	618·6	158	847	7,746	87·2	3,108	16,498	50,903	531·3
1966...	3,685	19,745	65,512	691·8	175	1,291	8,456	95·5	3,510	20,704	57,055	596·3
1967...	3,730	22,825	69,359	728·9	154	1,299	8,909	100·6	3,576	21,526	60,450	628·4
1968...	3,996	24,058	69,861	729·9	152	1,480	8,559	96·4	3,844	22,577	61,302	633·5
1966 July	3,264	23,089	87,638	941·6	161	1,485	13,880	157·8	3,103	21,603	73,758	783·7
August ...	3,104	22,893	86,750	933·4	161	1,211	12,612	144·2	2,942	21,682	74,137	789·3
September ...	3,759	26,319	94,041	997·3	172	1,285	10,773	121·6	3,587	25,034	83,269	875·6
October ...	3,329	22,331	61,288	639·9	169	1,259	7,364	82·6	3,160	21,072	53,924	557·2
November ...	3,608	21,096	44,514	462·2	174	1,167	5,377	60·3	3,434	19,929	39,137	401·9
December ...	7,124	23,867	57,640	605·7	162	1,191	5,825	65·3	6,963	22,675	51,815	540·4
1967 January ...	3,333	18,914	48,968	515·0	154	1,052	5,777	64·8	3,179	17,862	43,191	450·1
February ...	3,540	18,827	42,842	443·8	140	1,048	5,481	61·5	3,399	17,778	37,361	382·3
March ...	3,931	23,021	59,664	625·0	161	1,202	7,524	84·8	3,769	21,819	52,140	540·2
April ...	3,571	22,310	63,282	667·0	145	1,189	8,117	91·5	3,425	21,121	55,166	575·5
May	3,502	21,057	69,687	733·5	163	1,247	9,993	112·7	3,339	19,810	59,695	620·8
June... ...	4,187	25,247	88,200	931·9	160	1,322	11,481	129·9	4,027	23,923	76,719	802·0
July	3,393	21,852	89,061	958·2	142	1,260	13,866	157·7	3,252	20,592	75,196	800·5
August ...	3,307	21,587	92,299	982·8	152	1,230	13,461	153·5	3,155	20,358	78,838	829·4
September ...	4,046	27,739	104,854	1,097·3	144	1,480	11,874	133·8	3,902	26,259	92,980	963·5
October ...	3,372	25,168	68,551	708·2	170	1,574	8,257	92·5	3,202	23,594	60,294	615·7
November ...	3,390	23,848	49,371	507·2	167	1,543	5,586	62·5	3,224	22,305	43,785	444·7
December ...	5,188	24,333	55,526	577·0	145	1,444	5,494	61·5	5,043	22,891	50,032	515·5
1968 January ...	3,159	19,376	51,797	538·7	153	1,345	5,416	60·6	3,006	18,031	46,381	478·1
February ...	3,352	20,617	47,924	489·3	153	1,388	5,323	59·6	3,199	19,229	42,602	429·8
March ...	4,557	27,724	66,387	681·1	154	1,569	6,628	74·2	4,403	26,155	59,759	606·9
April ...	3,608	21,911	64,180	674·4	151	1,426	7,808	88·0	3,457	20,485	56,373	586·5
May	4,030	24,213	69,208	720·6	170	1,566	9,183	103·1	3,860	22,647	60,025	617·6
June... ...	2,947	19,310	69,799	735·7	149	1,497	11,362	128·4	2,798	17,813	58,436	607·3
July	2,807	18,263	76,411	820·0	167	1,573	13,653	154·9	2,640	16,690	62,759	665·1
August ...	3,687	22,215	95,129	1,013·0	151	1,400	12,946	147·1	3,536	20,816	82,183	865·9
September ...	4,493	29,679	105,231	1,101·8	131	1,526	10,971	123·4	4,362	28,153	94,260	978·4
October ...	4,050	27,079	70,731	730·5	143	1,623	7,619	85·1	3,908	25,455	63,112	645·4
November ...	4,237	27,477	54,133	554·4	145	1,513	5,944	66·4	4,091	25,966	48,188	488·0
December ...	7,019	30,828	67,406	698·9	152	1,338	5,854	65·4	6,867	29,489	61,551	633·5

See corresponding footnotes on page 103.

Source: Board of Trade

Merchant vessels of 500 gross tons and over registered in the United Kingdom(1)

TABLE 129 — End of period

	All vessels			Passenger			Dry cargo(2)			Tankers		
	Number	Thousand gross tons	Thousand dead-weight tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Thousand dead-weight tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Thousand dead-weight tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Thousand dead-weight tons
1939 September 3 ...	3,471	16,892	22,662	509	3,915	2,959	2,488	9,947	15,253	474	3,029	4,450
1964 December ...	2,473	20,428	26,646	213	2,244	1,268	1,725	10,380	13,646	535	7,804	11,732
1965 December ...	2,401	20,382	26,650	201	2,115	1,146	1,693	10,581	13,898	507	7,685	11,605
1966 December ...	2,319	20,522	26,931	191	1,971	1,052	1,637	10,694	14,005	491	7,857	11,874
1967 December ...	2,181	20,375	27,446	173	1,709	919	1,527	10,758	14,361	481	7,908	12,166
1968 January ...	2,123	20,122	27,291	167	1,670	897	1,505	10,631	14,238	451	7,821	12,156
February ...	2,112	20,057	27,207	167	1,674	898	1,498	10,613	14,228	447	7,769	12,080
March	2,103	20,067	27,268	166	1,671	988	1,489	10,619	14,278	448	7,777	12,097
April	2,093	20,095	27,384	163	1,642	883	1,479	10,560	14,196	451	7,892	12,305
May	2,084	20,023	27,309	162	1,618	868	1,470	10,509	14,131	452	7,896	12,310
June	2,074	20,017	27,420	161	1,594	859	1,462	10,489	14,122	451	7,934	12,439
July	2,069	20,009	27,434	162	1,601	861	1,453	10,435	14,053	454	7,974	12,520
August	2,059	20,076	27,658	159	1,562	851	1,448	10,453	14,101	452	8,061	12,706
September ...	2,056	20,168	27,888	159	1,560	851	1,443	10,433	14,113	454	8,176	12,924
October ...	2,059	20,302	28,182	158	1,542	840	1,442	10,500	14,237	459	8,260	13,105
November ...	2,051	20,260	28,134	158	1,541	840	1,433	10,468	14,198	460	8,250	13,096
December ...	2,058	20,730	28,847	159	1,605	854	1,435	10,559	14,353	464	8,566	13,640
1969 January ...	2,047	20,678	28,786	159	1,604	854	1,422	10,514	14,294	466	8,560	13,639
February ...	2,040	20,808	29,061	156	1,571	836	1,421	10,578	14,390	463	8,660	13,834
March	2,039	21,130	29,684	155	1,544	820	1,419	10,647	14,488	465	8,939	14,376

(1) Steam and motor vessels only, excluding miscellaneous craft.
(2) Except in 1939, including Canadian-owned non-tanker tonnage specially transferred to the United Kingdom register. This amounted to 12 thousand gross tons at 31 March 1969.

Source: Board of Trade

Shipping movement: Entrances and clearances in the foreign trade(1)

TABLE 130 — Monthly averages or calendar months — Thousand net tons

	Entered with cargo		Cleared with cargo		Entered in ballast			Cleared in ballast		
	With mail only	Other	With mail only	Other	With passengers only	For bunkers only	Other	With passengers only	With bunkers only	Other
1965	71	8,948	112	4,701	736	24	1,386	982	2,192	3,196
1966	63	8,928	114	4,745	832	19	1,467	1,044	2,007	3,759
1967	57	9,853	58	5,173	686	20	1,444	940	1,962	3,818
1968	62	10,191	66	5,500	700	23	1,465	914	1,686	4,246
1968 January	29	9,626	14	4,801	330	47	1,295	404	1,738	3,767
February	43	8,810	1	4,741	198	4	1,172	306	1,671	4,019
March	63	9,536	35	4,711	258	3	1,322	434	1,790	4,359
April	79	10,162	53	4,857	549	2	1,316	831	1,601	4,415
May	95	10,333	69	5,830	772	22	1,777	960	1,991	4,513
June	76	10,297	80	5,442	1,025	2	1,445	1,250	1,599	4,159
July	70	11,794	83	7,069	1,488	69	1,789	1,876	1,899	4,798
August	63	11,419	133	7,059	1,601	44	1,561	1,878	2,079	4,016
September	63	10,596	170	5,942	1,106	46	1,538	1,245	1,491	4,021
October	17	10,165	58	5,750	528	17	1,523	652	1,300	4,506
November	70	9,908	36	5,074	281	6	1,427	587	1,621	4,378
December	73	9,647	63	4,719	261	17	1,420	542	1,453	3,997
1969 January	82	10,118	50	5,207	333	10	1,542	440	1,965	4,311
February										
March										

(1) The figures relate to voyages direct from any port abroad to a port in the United Kingdom or vice versa. Vessels calling at more than one United Kingdom port in the course of a single voyage are recorded as entered or cleared at one port only.

Source: Ministry of Transport

United Kingdom passenger movement by sea and air(1)

Summary

TABLE 131

Thousands

	Inward							Outward						
	Total	Irish Republic		European continent and Mediterranean Sea area(2)		Rest of world(2)		Total	Irish Republic		European continent and Mediterranean Sea area(2)		Rest of world(2)	
		Sea	Air	Sea	Air	Sea	Air		Sea	Air	Sea	Air	Sea	Air
1963	8,143	676	507	2,923	3,060	250	726	8,158	669	511	2,915	3,030	296	738
1964	8,922	736	581	3,020	3,446	245	894	8,944	722	584	3,024	3,400	284	930
1965	9,900	796	622	3,299	3,899	232	1,052	9,914	769	623	3,295	3,862	261	1,104
1966	10,911	711	715	3,441	4,631	201	1,212	10,926	692	716	3,413	4,585	247	1,273
1967	11,671	794	701	3,516	5,047	203	1,410	11,640	761	695	3,497	4,997	236	1,454
1968	12,439	864	721	3,582	5,499	171	1,602	12,547	870	726	3,554	5,464	196	1,647
1960 1st quarter	718	99	45	190	264	47	73	661	66	39	169	258	53	76
2nd quarter	1,662	154	81	598	565	101	164	1,661	153	85	645	595	76	107
3rd quarter	3,170	409	172	1,392	908	102	187	3,089	382	171	1,347	879	95	216
4th quarter	896	88	64	225	353	53	114	913	109	71	206	339	66	121
1961 1st quarter	844	97	60	221	323	47	96	846	72	55	247	330	49	94
2nd quarter	1,830	147	99	628	682	93	179	1,752	147	102	616	700	69	116
3rd quarter	3,474	415	195	1,451	1,113	95	204	3,386	397	195	1,397	1,075	99	223
4th quarter	976	84	71	243	396	53	128	971	104	77	225	372	64	128
1962 1st quarter	858	86	64	206	345	47	110	784	61	57	182	327	54	103
2nd quarter	1,962	138	106	665	750	94	208	1,980	150	112	725	792	70	132
3rd quarter	3,676	396	201	1,535	1,237	83	223	3,614	374	198	1,486	1,191	98	267
4th quarter	993	80	78	240	422	51	122	1,033	99	85	237	406	66	139
1963 1st quarter	855	69	71	206	364	38	108	826	53	63	189	354	52	114
2nd quarter	2,123	131	123	745	831	82	212	2,206	139	130	819	890	75	153
3rd quarter	4,056	398	220	1,712	1,378	88	261	3,983	384	217	1,657	1,324	97	303
4th quarter	1,109	79	94	261	487	42	145	1,143	93	100	250	462	71	167
1964 1st quarter	1,023	79	87	262	434	40	121	1,074	69	84	299	442	48	132
2nd quarter	2,268	137	140	727	921	77	266	2,289	140	142	762	959	72	214
3rd quarter	4,383	440	250	1,754	1,522	82	335	4,307	419	247	1,702	1,468	95	376
4th quarter	1,249	80	105	277	569	46	172	1,273	94	111	260	531	69	208
1965 1st quarter	1,075	79	96	227	482	41	150	1,029	57	87	209	473	47	156
2nd quarter	2,615	146	159	834	1,093	74	309	2,724	156	164	921	1,160	62	261
3rd quarter	4,843	483	259	1,941	1,681	76	403	4,765	460	257	1,885	1,632	86	445
4th quarter	1,367	87	108	297	642	42	191	1,396	95	116	280	597	67	241
1966 1st quarter	1,201	87	106	254	546	36	172	1,165	65	95	238	533	46	188
2nd quarter	2,807	103	189	804	1,288	61	362	2,916	103	197	880	1,376	47	313
3rd quarter	5,363	444	297	2,052	2,039	71	460	5,291	432	291	1,992	1,981	94	501
4th quarter	1,541	77	123	331	758	34	218	1,554	91	133	304	695	60	271
1967 1st quarter	1,411	84	121	325	642	34	205	1,472	69	113	366	657	45	222
2nd quarter	2,938	146	176	793	1,375	60	388	2,977	157	178	807	1,430	61	344
3rd quarter	5,613	500	289	2,044	2,164	70	546	5,525	478	287	1,998	2,109	79	574
4th quarter	1,708	64	114	354	866	38	272	1,666	57	116	327	801	51	314
1968 1st quarter	1,420	56	109	272	700	34	249	1,392	54	106	262	688	36	246
2nd quarter	3,231	171	186	890	1,502	51	431	3,341	191	192	958	1,584	46	370
3rd quarter	5,837	550	283	2,038	2,292	55	619	5,788	530	278	1,978	2,252	69	681
4th quarter	1,952	87	142	383	1,005	32	303	1,936	96	150	355	940	45	350

(1) Excluding movement by land across the frontier between the Irish Republic and Northern Ireland, passengers travelling between the Channel Islands and Great Britain, passengers carried in aircraft chartered by British government departments and, as far as possible, passengers travelling by sea on pleasure cruises and day trips, and H.M. and other Armed Forces travelling in the course of their duties. Including movement to and from the privately operated airports of Southend and Ferryfield.

(2) Passengers to and from North Africa and Middle East countries have been attributed to the European continent and Mediterranean Sea area from 1960 onwards in the case of air traffic and from 1961 onwards in the case of sea traffic.

Source: Board of Trade

United Kingdom passenger movement by sea and air(1)

TABLE 132

Analysis by countries of landing and of embarkation

Thousands

	1965	1966	1967	1968	1967 2nd quarter	1967 3rd quarter	1967 4th quarter	1968 1st quarter	1968 2nd quarter	1968 3rd quarter	1968 4th quarter
European continent and Mediterranean Sea area(2)											
By sea											
Total	6,594	6,854	7,013	7,136	1,600	4,042	680	534	1,848	4,016	738
France	3,644	3,681	3,774	3,524	801	2,352	287	238	749	2,225	312
Belgium	1,977	2,039	1,936	2,213	459	1,074	198	145	699	1,156	213
Holland	623	644	710	776	183	315	120	91	225	325	135
Scandinavia	294	379	424	428	115	215	48	41	124	215	48
Others	55	112	169	195	42	87	27	19	51	94	30
By air											
Total	7,761	9,216	10,044	10,963	2,805	4,273	1,667	1,388	3,086	4,544	1,945
France	1,866	2,124	2,182	1,880	633	849	374	307	457	731	384
Belgium	697	666	718	731	201	322	110	88	230	291	122
Holland	783	908	982	1,037	332	306	194	153	367	316	201
Germany	753	882	1,008	1,175	256	335	225	223	307	386	260
Italy	769	940	918	952	249	472	115	87	274	454	137
Spain	997	1,338	1,676	2,256	470	951	187	101	660	1,199	296
Switzerland	545	629	682	774	168	263	117	139	208	302	125
Scandinavia	423	460	505	580	135	195	100	89	164	210	115
Middle East countries	206	241	248	339	66	68	62	60	84	113	82
Others	723	1,028	1,124	1,237	296	511	182	140	336	541	222
Rest of world											
By sea											
Total	493·9	447·7	438·4	367·3	121·3	149·3	88·4	70·2	97·2	123·5	76·3
United States of America	141·5	118·4	104·2	87·0	33·3	49·8	12·9	7·4	27·2	42·4	10·0
Canada	70·2	63·5	68·0	42·6	23·4	31·3	11·2	0·5	13·7	21·5	6·9
Australia	102·6	108·8	112·3	107·5	26·1	28·3	28·7	28·4	25·1	26·6	27·3
New Zealand	31·5	31·8	31·7	22·1	8·0	7·1	8·2	6·1	5·3	5·1	5·6
South Africa	53·2	46·9	52·8	53·6	13·3	14·4	12·2	13·5	13·4	14·0	12·6
East Africa(3)	6·1	5·2	2·7	1·7	0·8	0·9	0·1	0·3	0·4	0·6	0·4
West Africa(3)	13·8	10·9	9·7	8·4	2·5	3·4	1·4	1·9	2·3	2·7	1·6
British West Indies and Bermuda	21·2	15·6	16·9	14·4	3·5	5·7	4·4	3·0	3·1	4·1	4·2
India, Pakistan and Ceylon	10·9	5·4	3·1	0·9	1·1	0·3	0·3	0·2	0·2	0·2	0·3
Others	42·8	41·1	37·1	29·0	9·4	8·2	8·9	8·9	6·6	6·2	7·3
By air											
Total	2,156·0	2,484·5	2,864·4	3,249·3	732·1	1,119·4	585·9	495·0	801·0	1,300·7	652·5
United States of America	1,143·2	1,286·6	1,463·2	1,639·6	395·7	594·6	283·5	213·9	427·0	680·8	317·9
Canada	392·2	477·1	558·9	640·9	149·7	263·1	90·6	59·2	169·5	319·3	92·9
Australia and New Zealand	62·4	60·6	62·2	69·8	16·8	14·2	15·5	13·4	17·0	19·0	20·4
South Africa	52·3	67·7	77·6	91·9	18·2	21·1	20·3	21·5	21·7	25·2	23·5
East Africa(3)	64·9	75·7	92·1	114·5	17·5	33·9	22·9	31·0	19·9	38·5	25·1
West Africa(3)	79·2	75·1	68·5	65·9	16·1	23·1	14·1	13·5	13·9	23·4	15·2
British West Indies and Bermuda	81·2	101·2	124·4	132·6	27·0	38·1	29·3	32·7	24·9	42·9	32·1
India, Pakistan and Ceylon	99·9	116·7	142·6	152·6	30·2	40·4	43·3	37·6	33·4	39·5	42·1
Japan	7·7	11·9	16·7	19·5	3·9	5·6	4·9	3·5	4·8	6·0	5·2
Others	172·9	211·9	258·3	322·0	56·9	85·4	61·3	68·7	68·9	106·2	78·1

(1) Excluding passengers to and from the Irish Republic.
(2) Passengers to and from North Africa and Middle East countries have been attributed to the European continent and Mediterranean Sea area.
(3) Commonwealth countries only.

Source: Board of Trade

XIV. EXTERNAL TRADE

Value of the external trade of the United Kingdom

TABLE 133 — Monthly averages or calendar months — £ million

	Imports (c.i.f.)							Exports of United Kingdom produce (f.o.b.)						Re-exports (f.o.b.)	
	Total		Food, beverages and tobacco	Basic materials	Fuels	Manufactured goods		Total		Manufactured goods					
	Unadjusted	Seasonally adjusted (1)				Manufactures largely for further processing	Finished manufactures	Unadjusted	Seasonally adjusted (2)	Chemicals	Classified chiefly by material	Machinery and transport equipment	Other	Unadjusted	Seasonally adjusted
S.I.T.C. Section			0 and 1	2 and 4	3	5 and 6	7 and 8			5	6	7	8		
1963... ...	415·3		139·7	82·5	46·5	87·5	54·3	350·9		30·7	86·9	150·6	23·4	12·8	
1964... ...	474·7		147·6	93·2	48·6	110·3	69·7	367·6		34·3	94·8	152·5	26·3	12·8	
1965... ...	479·3		142·3	92·4	50·8	114·2	73·5	394·0		36·8	100·9	165·6	29·8	14·4	
1966... ...	496·6		142·6	88·4	52·1	123·3	82·6	420·6		39·1	104·1	181·7	31·6	16·2	
1967... ...	536·2		146·9	84·3	60·8	133·3	103·7	419·1		41·1	105·0	175·7	34·4	15·4	
1968... ...	658·3		158·6	100·9	75·4	176·7	137·7	514·7		49·9	130·9	215·7	43·3	18·2	
1965 1st qtr.	464·9	457	136·2	91·7	55·0	108·8	65·8	374·0	381	35·7	96·4	158·2	26·6	13·6	14
2nd qtr	487·0	480	142·9	93·5	51·8	117·3	76·0	401·7	384	37·9	105·4	170·1	29·4	14·0	13
3rd qtr.	476·1	489	140·6	94·3	47·9	112·7	75·1	380·6	401	35·9	96·0	158·5	30·5	14·0	15
4th qtr.	489·0	491	149·5	90·3	48·3	118·2	77·2	419·7	410	37·7	105·8	175·5	32·7	15·9	16
1966 1st qtr.	514·9	508	146·5	90·5	54·8	127·6	86·5	422·2	412	38·3	104·4	184·7	30·4	16·9	16
2nd qtr.	498·0	492	141·4	85·8	52·0	128·1	84·8	399·4	396	37·4	96·9	176·7	29·1	16·3	16
3rd qtr.	499·7	513	140·8	94·5	51·7	125·9	81·5	400·9	427	37·9	101·0	172·3	31·1	14·1	15
4th qtr.	469·6	469	141·8	82·8	49·8	111·4	77·7	459·8	448	42·8	113·9	193·3	36·0	17·4	17
1967 1st qtr.	536·5	524	149·4	82·6	59·1	137·3	98·3	444·8	447	42·9	113·2	190·5	32·9	15·4	16
2nd qtr.	540·1	525	152·8	84·0	52·0	136·6	109·5	446·1	427	45·5	109·5	191·9	34·9	15·7	15
3rd qtr.	507·8	515	136·5	85·6	60·0	122·5	96·9	395·0	421	38·9	100·6	160·9	36·2	14·7	16
4th qtr.	560·3	566	148·6	85·2	72·0	136·7	110·2	390·4	381	37·2	96·7	159·3	33·4	15·9	15
1968 1st qtr.	664·2	641	170·3	94·9	73·8	181·2	132·3	501·2	500	47·8	127·4	217·2	39·4	18·8	18
2nd qtr.	645·6	633	154·3	101·3	79·0	172·7	129·8	503·0	487	51·3	127·0	215·1	40·4	17·0	17
3rd qtr.	648·9	654	146·7	104·7	73·5	178·5	137·4	504·0	529	49·7	132·0	202·0	45·4	17·8	19
4th qtr.	674·3	657	163·3	102·5	75·6	174·4	151·4	550·4	544	50·9	137·3	228·5	48·2	19·3	19
1967 Oct. ...	526·1	519	128·5	78·1	81·2	128·1	103·6	337·5	343	31·0	89·2	132·0	31·9	14·9	15
Nov. ...	598·7	574	167·3	91·8	72·5	138·6	120·7	373·3	345	34·2	95·7	147·8	31·8	14·8	14
Dec. ...	577·8	605	158·6	90·3	66·7	148·4	106·1	451·6	454	45·4	103·4	194·3	35·6	17·4	16
1968 Jan. ...	691·0	616	182·5	101·8	77·0	178·3	136·2	482·3	503	44·0	117·5	211·9	36·4	18·0	18
Feb. ...	638·5	655	161·4	92·7	71·3	173·2	129·1	509·1	502	47·1	129·7	221·6	42·1	19·1	20
Mar. ...	665·6	651	168·1	90·5	73·6	193·7	130·9	510·7	494	52·4	135·0	217·1	39·6	18·8	17
April ...	646·8	645	157·2	99·4	81·1	175·4	123·7	491·3	485	49·5	130·6	208·2	40·4	18·7	19
May ...	717·6	647	175·3	110·3	85·9	186·5	151·2	507·9	487	52·2	117·9	227·4	40·6	15·5	16
June ...	583·1	608	135·4	95·3	72·6	161·4	111·6	507·9	488	51·8	132·6	207·9	40·1	15·6	16
July ...	699·5	664	159·8	110·1	82·3	189·4	150·1	530·4	505	49·4	135·6	229·1	42·4	19·4	20
Aug. ...	653·0	648	145·1	110·5	73·3	177·6	138·6	492·0	539	46·9	135·4	188·6	46·1	17·7	19
Sept. ...	606·8	650	141·3	95·6	69·6	170·0	122·7	490·3	541	52·5	124·7	188·4	47·5	15·2	17
Oct. ...	717·8	667	177·2	108·9	83·1	192·3	150·0	518·0	530	48·0	136·0	207·6	49·3	19·3	19
Nov. ...	685·5	653	166·5	98·9	68·7	173·8	171·0	605·9	565	55·0	157·4	248·7	51·6	19·7	19
Dec. ...	626·9	651	151·6	102·7	76·6	158·2	130·5	525·9	536	49·6	118·2	224·8	47·8	18·4	18
1969 Jan. ...	733·7	648	176·0	115·4	88·7	192·3	147·9	548·4	557	50·8	146·2	231·5	45·0	19·9	20
Feb. ...	638·2	655	147·7	94·8	78·7	173·8	136·1	506·5	524	50·6	134·7	211·4	42·1	14·0	15
Mar. ...															

(1) Excluding U.S. military aircraft, etc.

(2) Seasonally adjusted export figures have been re-calculated by means of a revised seasonal adjustment programme.

Source: Board of Trade

Import and export volume index numbers

TABLE 134

1961 = 100

	Imports							United Kingdom exports							
										Manufactured goods					
	Total	Excluding U.S. military aircraft etc.	Food, beverages and tobacco	Basic materials	Fuels	Manufactured goods: Total	Manufactured goods: Excl. U.S. military aircraft etc.	Total	Non-manufactures	Total	Chemicals	Textiles	Metals	Machinery and transport equipment	Other
S.I.T.C. Section and Division			0 and 1	2 and 4	3	5 to 8			0 to 4	5 to 8	5	65	67 to 69	7	
Weights	*1,000*		*327*	*222*	*106*	*337*		*1,000*	*125*	*843*	*86*	*65*	*123*	*428*	*141*
1966	122		101	102	154	146		121	128	120	139	97	105	120	134
1967	132	131	104	101	165	168	165	119	131	118	148	94	108	112	136
1968	146	143	107	111	176	195	188	136	151	135	169	109	120	129	158
Unadjusted															
1967 1st qtr. ...	134		106	98	180	167		128	135	127	155	101	113	124	143
2nd qtr. ...	135		107	101	162	176		127	135	127	163	98	119	124	136
3rd qtr. ...	126		100	104	150	156		112	123	111	140	86	103	102	140
4th qtr. ...	136		106	105	178	170		109	128	106	132	89	97	99	126
1968 1st qtr. ...	149		116	109	171	198		135	142	135	168	105	118	132	153
2nd qtr. ...	144		104	112	186	189		134	139	134	174	105	121	130	147
3rd qtr. ...	143		102	114	175	191		132	154	130	165	108	115	119	167
4th qtr. ...	147		110	111	180	196		143	168	140	169	118	124	132	169
1968 January ...	157		125	111	179	201		131	154	129	157	100	112	129	140
February ...	143		109	107	165	191		136	135	138	164	109	120	135	160
March ...	148		114	103	170	201		137	136	139	181	108	124	133	158
April ...	143		104	111	188	185		131	123	134	170	101	122	128	154
May	159		116	121	199	211		136	136	137	177	110	123	139	130
June... ...	129		91	103	169	171		133	156	131	176	103	119	122	157
July	154		108	120	191	209		139	149	139	163	113	123	136	159
August ...	143		100	118	171	191		129	157	126	155	102	115	111	176
September ...	132		96	103	163	175		129	157	125	175	107	106	111	164
October ...	156		119	116	196	206		135	157	133	159	112	115	122	177
November ...	149		111	106	162	209		158	184	155	183	126	143	146	189
December ...	137		100	111	182	175		136	163	132	165	116	114	130	139
1969 January ...	159		114	123	211	206		139	141	140	166	114	115	134	176
February ...	138		95	100	189	189		130	132	131	164	106	106	123	165
Seasonally adjusted															
1967 1st qtr. ...	132	132	105	97	172	165	164	129	141	127	157	102	116	124	146
2nd qtr. ...	134	133	108	102	158	170	166	122	135	122	156	98	113	116	135
3rd qtr. ...	128	127	102	102	153	159	157	121	131	119	146	91	112	112	142
4th qtr. ...	135	134	102	105	181	175	172	104	117	105	134	84	91	99	123
1968 1st qtr. ...	146	144	114	109	162	195	191	135	146	134	167	106	121	129	152
2nd qtr. ...	143	141	105	112	178	185	179	130	139	129	167	104	117	124	145
3rd qtr. ...	147	144	105	112	180	197	190	139	163	137	170	111	122	130	164
4th qtr. ...	148	144	106	111	184	202	190	142	156	140	170	115	120	134	172
1968 January ...	141	140	114	102	160	186	183	137	163	134	167	107	119	130	146
February ...	149	147	112	116	163	202	197	135	136	135	163	108	120	131	156
March ...	147	146	116	109	163	196	193	133	138	133	172	103	124	127	153
April ...	144	143	107	115	175	184	180	130	129	130	163	100	118	126	150
May	146	144	109	113	171	194	186	131	135	130	167	106	114	129	137
June... ...	137	136	100	108	190	177	172	128	154	128	172	104	119	118	150
July	148	147	107	113	186	196	192	133	153	132	162	108	117	129	151
August ...	147	143	105	111	177	201	189	142	176	138	167	110	129	127	172
September ...	145	143	103	113	176	196	190	142	159	142	181	115	120	133	170
October ...	147	145	108	112	188	194	190	138	153	137	164	112	117	129	170
November ...	151	143	104	109	174	216	192	147	158	147	175	116	130	140	175
December ...	146	143	105	113	191	197	187	139	157	137	172	116	114	133	170
1969 January ...	144	141	103	108	190	190	179	141	146	141	173	120	121	130	179
February ...	147	143	101	111	192	202	189	134	139	134	171	111	111	126	167

Source: Board of Trade

Value of exports of produce and manufactures of the United Kingdom(1)

TABLE 135 — Monthly averages or calendar months — £ thousand

	1966	1967	1968	1968 1st quarter	1968 2nd quarter	1968 3rd quarter	1968 4th quarter	1969 Jan.	1969 Feb.
0. Food and live animals	14,052	13,981	14,290	14,083	13,279	12,986	16,810	14,753	12,227
00. Live animals	1,898	2,137	1,668	874	1,087	1,616	3,095	2,023	1,436
02. Dairy products and eggs	995	925	1,088	1,062	1,050	1,102	1,140	1,098	1,010
03. Fish and fish preparations	823	793	916	917	896	927	924	891	865
04. Cereals and cereal preparations	3,468	3,374	3,307	4,536	3,625	2,608	2,459	2,034	1,718
05. Fruit and vegetables	1,276	1,098	1,321	1,305	977	805	2,198	2,021	1,435
06. Sugar, sugar preparations and honey	1,807	1,922	2,057	1,950	2,105	2,057	2,115	2,094	1,443
07. Coffee, cocoa preparations, tea and spices	1,119	1,239	1,478	1,296	1,185	1,461	1,968	1,548	1,328
01, 08 and 09. Other food and food preparations	2,665	2,495	2,455	2,144	2,355	2,411	2,910	3,045	2,992
1. Beverages and tobacco	13,229	13,565	18,909	15,526	16,554	21,324	22,231	12,356	12,800
11. Beverages	11,403	11,592	16,412	13,110	14,033	18,735	19,771	10,135	9,722
12. Tobacco	1,826	1,973	2,497	2,416	2,521	2,588	2,461	2,221	3,078
2. Crude materials, inedible	12,372	12,176	14,317	13,846	14,840	13,336	15,248	14,618	14,803
23. Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)	997	922	1,291	1,297	1,103	1,220	1,544	1,385	1,380
26. Textiles fibres, not manufactured and their waste	7,074	6,337	7,421	6,674	7,684	7,159	8,168	7,679	7,664
27. Crude fertilizers and minerals	1,970	2,094	2,705	2,441	2,692	2,786	2,901	2,942	2,643
Other crude materials	2,332	2,824	2,900	3,433	3,361	2,172	2,633	2,613	3,116
3. Mineral fuels, lubricants, etc.	11,184	10,719	13,870	13,498	11,501	15,080	15,402	17,479	14,700
33. Petroleum and petroleum products	9,504	9,531	12,266	12,080	10,066	13,635	13,285	15,537	12,891
Coal, coke, gas and electric energy	1,680	1,189	1,604	1,419	1,435	1,445	2,117	1,941	1,809
4. Animal and vegetable oils and fats	508	498	600	601	575	604	621	519	607
5. Chemicals	39,112	41,113	49,930	47,821	51,262	49,720	50,916	50,794	50,593
51. Chemical elements and compounds	9,245	9,829	12,617	11,792	12,928	12,550	13,200	11,866	11,823
53. Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials	4,697	4,824	5,724	5,544	5,504	5,989	5,857	5,446	5,834
54. Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	6,101	6,534	8,009	7,893	8,361	7,428	8,353	9,142	8,641
55. Essential oils and perfume materials	3,380	3,620	4,338	4,042	4,340	4,482	4,488	4,351	3,969
57. Explosives and pyrotechnic products	750	734	943	914	963	1,007	890	976	1,083
58. Plastic materials and artificial resins	7,447	7,872	9,199	8,417	9,689	9,040	9,649	9,914	9,223
All other	7,491	7,700	9,100	9,218	9,477	9,225	8,480	9,099	10,019
6. Manufactured goods classified chiefly by materials	104,081	104,980	130,915	127,410	126,966	131,955	137,327	146,236	134,694
61. Leather manufactures and dressed furs	2,752	2,542	3,445	3,027	3,559	3,317	3,874	3,395	3,197
62. Rubber manufactures, not elsewhere specified	3,982	4,484	5,104	5,308	5,269	4,651	5,188	5,588	5,191
64. Paper, paperboard and manufactures thereof	4,488	4,475	5,526	5,310	5,437	5,404	5,955	5,971	5,827
65. Textile yarn, fabrics and articles	21,748	20,858	24,893	23,598	24,011	24,718	27,246	26,969	25,053
66. Non-metallic mineral manufactures	23,842	23,003	31,308	31,201	27,478	35,453	31,100	41,264	37,540
67. Iron and steel	17,922	19,093	22,170	20,682	23,042	21,402	23,555	19,008	19,083
68. Non-ferrous metals	16,013	17,293	22,644	23,060	22,471	21,293	23,750	28,140	23,416
63 and 69. Other wood and metal manufactures	13,335	13,232	15,825	15,224	15,701	15,716	16,657	15,955	15,388
7. Machinery and transport equipment	181,730	175,663	215,693	217,229	215,059	201,994	228,492	231,507	211,354
71. Machinery other than electric	86,960	86,346	105,735	107,876	106,796	98,478	109,788	115,962	100,110
72. Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances	28,790	28,748	34,121	35,806	34,645	32,129	33,904	34,088	31,781
73. Transport equipment	65,980	60,569	75,838	73,546	73,618	71,387	84,800	81,457	79,463
8. Miscellaneous manufactured articles	31,629	34,352	43,332	39,370	40,390	45,376	48,193	45,014	42,103
81. Sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fittings	976	924	1,154	1,149	1,146	1,107	1,214	1,299	1,221
82. Furniture	1,234	1,223	1,484	1,426	1,787	1,898	823	1,496	1,553
84. Clothing	4,392	5,297	6,975	5,416	5,385	8,114	8,987	5,586	6,667
85. Footwear	1,387	1,663	2,172	1,768	1,672	2,339	2,907	2,143	1,926
86. Professional, scientific and controlling instruments, photographic and optical goods, watches and clocks	9,479	10,126	12,306	11,652	12,369	11,960	13,242	14,340	12,660
Other	14,162	15,120	19,242	17,959	18,031	19,957	21,020	20,150	18,075
5–8. Manufactured goods	356,552	356,108	439,870	431,830	433,677	429,045	464,928	473,551	438,744
9. Commodities and transactions not classified according to kind	12,683	12,016	12,803	11,799	12,573	11,660	15,181	15,099	12,637
Total United Kingdom exports	420,579	419,063	514,660	501,183	503,000	504,034	550,421	548,375	506,516

(1) The numbers on the left hand side of the table refer to the Section and Division code numbers of the *Standard International Trade Classification, Revised.*

Source: Board of Trade

Imports into the United Kingdom

Analysis by area and country

TABLE 136 — Monthly averages or calendar months — £ million

	North America		Latin America	Western Europe										
	Canada	U.S.A. and dependencies		Total	*of which* E.F.T.A. area(1)	E.E.C.	Finland	Sweden	Denmark	Western Germany	Netherlands	Belgium and Luxembourg	France	Italy	Other (1)
1965	38·2	56·0	23·6	157·9	65·2	82·9	9·7	17·9	16·2	22·1	22·6	10·3	15·9	12·0	31·2
1966	35·4	60·2	23·5	172·3	70·0	92·0	10·2	18·1	17·2	25·2	24·3	11·0	17·7	13·8	34·8
1967	38·0	67·6	24·4	194·9	78·4	105·3	10·8	20·6	18·1	28·2	27·4	12·2	21·3	16·3	40·0
1968	42·7	88·6	26·5	241·6	96·7	130·6	13·4	26·2	19·9	36·4	33·9	14·6	26·0	19·7	51·5
1967 November	37·6	73·6	21·7	230·8	87·5	126·7	12·1	22·7	21·4	31·7	37·9	12·7	28·2	16·2	47·9
December	46·3	71·5	21·3	209·2	79·5	114·0	10·6	20·7	17·9	29·5	27·7	17·7	24·2	15·0	45·9
1968 January ...	43·3	90·6	26·4	255·1	98·5	138·9	13·9	28·0	20·3	39·1	33·5	14·5	29·6	22·3	53·9
February	44·7	86·3	22·8	238·4	90·2	132·9	10·7	25·7	18·4	34·3	32·5	16·8	27·9	21·4	50·7
March ...	38·9	77·9	29·0	256·0	96·7	144·5	9·6	26·2	20·5	36·0	34·7	21·9	28·4	23·5	55·2
April ...	39·7	71·2	29·9	239·4	91·4	132·6	14·1	25·4	17·6	33·2	32·6	17·3	28·9	20·6	49·7
May ...	55·3	99·2	28·0	249·9	99·6	135·5	13·4	27·6	21·0	38·4	38·3	13·9	24·5	20·3	52·5
June ...	41·5	70·4	25·0	204·4	89·0	104·8	13·1	24·2	18·4	28·3	30·5	12·8	16·2	17·0	43·9
July ...	41·9	80·5	28·4	270·9	100·5	156·9	14·4	26·5	22·1	44·5	39·3	14·6	34·9	23·7	50·9
August ...	44·0	100·3	31·3	221·8	93·3	117·1	16·0	23·7	20·2	33·7	29·8	11·0	23·0	19·7	44·7
September	39·7	84·5	22·3	218·6	97·1	110·3	14·4	26·3	19·2	29·9	31·0	12·8	20·0	16·6	48·4
October	47·1	91·8	29·2	269·9	109·8	142·5	15·8	28·7	23·6	38·3	38·6	17·0	29 4	19·3	59·2
November	42·3	120·5	26·3	251·6	102·9	130·2	12·5	26·5	20·0	36·8	35·1	15·4	25·6	17·3	62·4
December	37·5	84·1	22·3	238·2	90·8	130·7	13·9	25·5	18·0	44·2	32·5	13·2	24·3	16·6	50·0
1969 January ...	44·9	87·2	29·6	270·2	107·0	144·6	15·2	30·5	21·6	39·8	36·7	15·7	30·1	22·2	58·4
February	41·5	62·6	29·0	233·7	91·0	127·8	10·7	24·8	17·8	31·8	35·4	14·4	27·0	19·2	52·6

	Sterling area											Soviet Union and Eastern Europe	Rest of the world (2)	Commonwealth countries
	Total (2)	Australia	New Zealand	India	Ceylon	Malaysia (including Singapore)	Nigeria	Zambia, Malawi, and S. Rhodesia (2)	Irish Republic	Republic of South Africa	Other			
1965	150·0	18·3	17·3	10·7	3·5	4·1	9·4	9·3	14·2	15·1	48·1	18·3	35·2	142·0
1966	147·9	17·3	15·6	9·9	3·0	4·0	9·4	7·4	15·5	16·0	49·8	20·1	36·1	135·6
1967	146·9	14·5	15·5	10·5	3·3	3·8	6·6	6·7	18·6	18·3	49·1	21·1	43·2	132·8
1968	187·0	17·6	16·4	11·3	3·3	5·2	5·9	8·4	22·3	22·6	74·0	25·2	46·7	155·8
1967 Nov. ...	164·4	17·7	9·8	14·9	2·5	5·9	2·5	11·0	21·4	15·7	63·0	19·1	51·5	143·3
Dec. ...	155·8	14·4	20·9	15·0	4·1	4·1	3·3	7·1	16·8	18·2	51·9	25·4	48·4	150·6
1968 January	203·1	23·2	25·1	15·0	4·1	5·2	6·6	8·8	20·2	21·1	73·8	22·1	50·4	178·4
February	182·3	13·8	21·2	12·7	3·2	3·8	4·5	8·7	18·0	24·1	72·3	17·8	46·3	161·1
March ...	192·5	16·2	26·8	10·4	3·7	5·2	6·9	7·5	22·8	26·3	66·7	23·9	47·9	156·0
April ...	191·1	17·5	18·1	8·6	2·2	4·6	7·6	12·6	21·6	25·4	72·9	21·9	53·6	154·2
May ...	216·0	18·9	19·5	11·3	3·0	6·1	5·0	7·7	24·0	23·9	96·6	22·8	46·5	184·7
June ...	176·1	18·8	12·6	9·3	2·3	5·4	3·9	5·8	18·7	21·3	78·0	24·9	40·8	147·0
July ...	200·3	21·7	14·5	9·8	3·9	5·9	4·2	12·6	27·6	26·8	73·3	29·4	48·2	158·7
August	179·3	18·4	8·5	10·2	5·6	4·9	4·5	7·5	21.8	23·4	74·5	33·7	42·6	143·3
Sept. ...	170·3	15·1	9·6	11·6	4·7	5·2	6·2	6·1	22·3	23·1	66·4	24·7	46·7	140·2
Oct. ...	203·1	17·5	13·2	15·2	2·6	6·1	7·4	12·0	25·2	23·2	80·7	28·0	48·8	168·9
Nov. ...	174·7	15·9	15·3	12·5	2·5	5·0	4·9	6·3	23·9	21·6	66·8	24·2	45·8	144·7
Dec. ...	165·3	15·1	14·6	9·8	2·5	4·8	8·6	5·5	21·8	12·0	70·6	31·5	48·0	143·4
1969 January	221·9	23·3	20·9	10·5	3·5	5·9	12·3	10·0	24·0	26·4	85·1	33·1	46·8	177·9
February	200·0	21·1	23·5	7·7	2·7	5·4	7·7	8·9	20·4	22·3	80·3	25·1	46·2	166·6

(1) From January 1969 trade with Faroe Islands, previously included with Other Western Europe, is now included in E.F.T.A.

(2) Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland prior to 1965; trade with Rhodesia has been included with the Rest of the world from January 1966.

Source: Board of Trade

Exports of United Kingdom produce and manufactures

Analysis by area and country

TABLE 137 — Monthly averages or calendar months — £ million

	North America		Latin America	Western Europe											
	Canada	U.S.A. and dependencies		Total	*of which* E.F.T.A. area(1)	*of which* E.E.C.	Finland	Sweden	Denmark	Western Germany	Netherlands	Belgium and Luxembourg	France	Italy	Other (1)
1965	16·7	41·6	13·2	144·7	55·6	75·4	6·0	18·3	10·4	21·2	16·1	14·2	14·8	9·1	34·6
1966	17·9	52·2	13·3	158·0	61·6	79·8	6·3	19·2	11·2	21·1	16·4	15·2	16·4	10·7	41·5
1967	17·8	51·2	13·9	159·2	63·2	80·3	5·9	18·2	12·0	20·6	16·1	14·9	17·0	11·7	42·8
1968	21·6	73·3	18·8	188·7	71·4	99·7	6·6	21·4	13·4	26·9	20 2	19·6	19·5	13·4	47·7
1967 November	17·6	56·4	10·7	158·5	63·5	81·6	5·3	17·5	11·8	20·4	16·9	14·4	18·5	11·4	42·3
December	19·6	61·5	19·6	166·3	64·3	87·5	5·1	20·0	11·5	28·8	19·1	11·7	17·3	10·6	42·2
1968 January...	19·1	65·7	20·2	174·6	63·1	97·1	4·8	20·0	12·0	28·4	18·8	17·8	19·3	12·8	40·7
February	23·3	64·4	17·8	187·8	69·4	100·1	5·9	20·1	13·4	26·1	18·4	20·5	19·9	15·3	48·2
March ...	19·0	68·5	17·9	185·6	70·0	97·7	6·2	22·6	13·0	23·6	19·6	20·7	18·9	15·0	46·0
April ...	20·3	64·4	17·6	186·8	65·2	102·7	6·1	19·1	12·5	25·9	20·4	22·0	21·1	13·4	46·3
May ...	21·0	61·4	19·2	199·7	79·7	100·7	8·6	23·9	14·3	32·1	20·1	14·5	22·4	11·6	52·2
June ...	22·7	83·1	18·2	181·3	70·1	92·9	7·1	20·1	13·1	24·4	20·3	22·1	13·3	12·7	48·2
July ...	21·2	78·6	15·8	195·4	75·6	103·3	7·5	21·7	14·2	29·1	19·1	21·9	19·9	13·4	48·6
August ...	19·1	80·5	17·1	170·1	66·9	86·6	5·9	19·8	12·4	24·4	17·5	19·0	15·3	10·4	45·4
September	19·5	79·3	17·0	174·7	68·9	91·1	6·1	20·6	13·9	22·8	19·8	18·7	17·9	11·9	43·0
October	21·5	76·9	22·9	189·4	70·2	101·4	6·3	21·2	12·4	27·3	21·6	19·3	19·3	13·9	48·1
November	30·6	86·7	21·8	226·4	81·2	125·1	7·8	25·4	16·0	33·4	27·8	24·1	23·6	16·2	52·1
December	21·7	69·6	20·4	192·1	76·1	96·4	6·3	22·5	13·9	26·4	18·7	14·8	23·0	13·5	53·0
1969 January...'	22·8	60·3	20 8	206·2	79·9	107·6	7·3	25·5	15·8	26·1	20·4	22·8	24·1	14·2	50·0
February	21·8	50·2	15·7	198·3	74·5	105·1	6·4	21·9	14·4	27·0	21·0	23·2	21·3	12·6	50·5

	Sterling area											Soviet Union and Eastern Europe	Rest of the world (2)	Commonwealth countries
	Total (2)	Australia	New Zealand	India	Ceylon	Malaysia (including Singapore)	Nigeria	Zambia, Malawi, and S. Rhodesia (2)	Irish Republic	Republic of S. Africa	Other			
1965	136·6	23·5	1·04	9·5	1·6	7·7	6·1	4·2	14·6	21·8	37·2	9·4	31·2	110·7
1966	132·1	21·3	10·5	8·0	1·9	7·5	5·5	2·7	14·9	20·2	39·6	12·2	34·8	107·7
1967	127·3	21·2	8·3	6·8	1·7	6·6	4·9	2·7	15·5	21·5	38·1	14·0	35·6	101·9
1968	146·3	26·0	8·6	6·0	1·9	7·3	4·8	3·5	21·7	21·7	44·8	18·6	47·4	117·0
1967 November	86·7	12·0	4·0	4·3	1·7	4·1	2·9	1·4	15·6	13·7	27·0	12·5	30·9	70·2
December	135·1	20·3	5·2	5·6	2·7	8·7	5·0	3·5	16·7	25·4	42·0	12·0	37·4	107·7
1968 January...	147·6	30·0	10·2	5·3	2·7	8·5	4·0	3·6	16·4	20·8	46·1	16·4	38·8	122·8
February	151·5	27·7	10·3	6·6	1·3	7·9	5·1	3·6	17·8	24·1	47·1	17·5	46·8	125·0
March	152·7	31·6	7·7	6·1	1·6	8·1	5·1	4·2	20·9	22·1	45·3	20·4	46·6	121·1
April ...	140·4	23·0	7·5	6·6	0·8	7·7	4·3	3·9	20·8	21·7	44·1	16·6	45·3	109·0
May ...	145·3	26·3	7·2	7·8	1·9	7·9	3·5	3·7	21·5	22·4	43·1	21·6	39·7	114·8
June ...	140·2	23·4	10·0	6·7	1·6	6·8	5·8	4·0	19·4	1933	43·2	17·6	44·8	116·3
July ...	147·8	27·6	8·2	6·8	2·1	7·2	4·2	2·9	22·0	25·4	41·4	19·1	52·5	115·1
August ...	141·6	27·3	8·7	5·7	2·2	6·7	4·4	3·9	22·4	20·3	40·0	17·5	46·0	111·1
September	135·8	25·1	8·0	4·7	2·3	6·4	4·7	3·0	22·5	19·5	39·6	14·7	49·4	106·9
October	139·3	22·5	7·4	5·0	2·5	636	4·0	2·9	23·4	21·4	43·6	18·7	49·3	108·2
November	158·9	26·2	9·3	5·4	1·9	6·8	5·8	3·4	28·2	20·7	51·2	22·2	59·3	132·9
December	152·4	21·5	8·6	5·0	2·0	7·4	6·6	2·7	25·4	21·1	52·1	19·7	50·0	120·4
1969 January...	153·6	25·0	9·6	5·0	2·2	7·5	6·6	3·5	22·8	22·6	48·8	23·5	61·1	122·3
February	149·0	26·6	9·7	5·5	2·8	6·6	7·1	3·4	23·8	20·7	42·8	14·1	57·5	119·2

(1) See corresponding footnote on Table 136.
(2) See corresponding footnote on Table 136.

Source: Board of Trade

Imports of principal items of food

Monthly averages or calendar months

TABLE 138

Thousand tons

		Meat(1)	Bacon	Canned meat	Butter	Cheese	Eggs in shell Million dozen	Wheat	Barley	Maize	Flour	Oranges	Bananas	Apples
1965	... ...	63·6	33·1	12·4	36·8	12·5	1·88	361·7	23·4	266·8	19·5	32·2	30·9	20·2
1966	... ...	59·6	33·1	12·9	37·9	11·8	1·65	333·8	10·5	269·6	16·4	34·5	30·3	22·4
1967	... ...	60·2	33·5	14·8	40·3	13·1	2·23	313·8	18·2	305·0	7·7	33·8	29·0	23·8
1968	... ...	61·0	33·8	14·3	37·2	14·8	1·70	336·3	5·9	309·5	6·2	34·0	28·4	24·6
1967	November ...	38·9	34·8	16·4	57·5	15·8	2·74	312·4	9·1	381·3	10·0	18·8	24·5	24·6
	December ...	52·6	29·4	14·9	48·4	20·8	2.43	254·9	—	368·7	6·6	44·0	25·4	14·4
1968	January	65·3	35·6	13·7	58·9	18·1	1·79	404·5	2·7	442·5	7·5	64·9	28·6	30·5
	February ...	59·7	33·3	11·1	35·1	15·1	2·79	360·3	2·4	375·6	8·9	58·2	23·1	34·3
	March	68·8	31·6	14·9	47·3	16·8	2·81	409·7	4·4	286·7	5·9	42·5	26·7	46·6
	April	58·9	31·1	14·3	36·4	16·1	1·85	283·0	10·6	200·2	6·7	43·4	30·0	44·8
	May	79·3	39·1	17·5	32·5	15·1	1·43	380·3	—	312·8	4·9	28·2	29·7	30·2
	June	56·4	30·2	14·4	24·7	12·9	1·09	231·9	—	301·5	4·5	25·4	28·6	36·3
	July	70·2	37·9	19·4	32·1	15·1	1·55	278·7	—	237·6	7·7	28·8	37·1	28·1
	August	50·7	34·9	14·7	29·6	9·7	1·01	379·1	2·7	340·4	3·8	19·4	36·5	3·6
	September ...	51·8	33·0	13·3	23·1	11·1	1·62	281·4	3·3	197·9	8·2	25·4	26·1	5·5
	October	62·3	36·8	14·8	38·4	16·3	1·58	382·6	22·0	333·8	5·5	13·3	28·9	14·8
	November ...	54·2	32·3	12·2	46·7	18·1	1·78	329·8	11·6	327·0	6·0	17·5	23·5	13·8
	December ...	57·2	30·2	11·5	45·0	13·4	1·11	330·6	10·9	391·0	5·5	43·2	26·2	7·8
1969	January	83·0	35·1	12·1	47·3	17·6	1·36	395·0	0·9	413·0	6·0	56·7	27·8	26·0
	February... ...	75·6	29·9	10·7	44·3	14·3	2·41	365·8	40·9	127·2	3·6	57·0	19·9	20·3

		Dried fruit	Tinned or bottled fruit	Tomatoes	Unrefined sugar	Coffee	Raw cocoa	Tea and maté	Oilcake and meal	Margarine and shortenings	Oil-seeds and nuts	Whale and fish oils	Vegetable oil
1965	... ...	11·8	27·0	13·6	174·0	4·9	6·8	20·8	95·3	17·8	76·1	15·6	29·9
1966	... ...	11·4	30·1	12·9	176·6	6·8	8·8	19·1	86·7	15·5	68·2	14·8	34·3
1967	... ...	11·1	28·9	13·0	175·3	6·7	7·3	20·3	78·1	15·6	57·4	23·5	33·4
1968	... ...	11·5	30 7	14 0	163·7	7·8	6·4	22 2	81·3	16·1	55 8	18·5	39·6
1967	November ...	16·5	38·2	16·5	199·8	7·1	0·6	24·0	92·1	18·2	71·4	19·1	38·7
	December ...	9·2	27·5	17·3	129·7	6·8	4·6	30·2	111·0	17·4	84·5	13·2	29·6
1968	January ...	10·5	29·4	18·3	202·0	7·4	10·2	31·9	101·4	10·0	81·4	14·8	27·3
	February ...	13·1	23·9	15·0	196·0	7·4	10·4	26·3	96·3	11·4	46·9	14·2	36·5
	March ...	10·8	24·2	15·7	168·6	7·3	13·5	22·2	92·0	19·8	46·8	4·9	34·1
	April ...	13·8	28·2	18 9	165·2	10·3	18·2	16·6	92·3	19·9	52·7	8·2	46·5
	May	10·7	40·0	15·2	201·9	11·7	7·7	15·7	66·4	19·1	75·7	18·7	47·6
	June ...	9·9	33·2	14·1	164·4	4·7	4·7	12·9	59·0	11·3	38·4	17·2	40·5
	July ...	13·3	52·1	11 8	155 0	9·2	1·3	19·3	54·5	14·1	34·2	20·8	40·8
	August ...	12·2	33·1	7·9	117·9	7·2	3·1	22·6	72·1	24·7	58·2	14·0	44.0
	September ...	9·9	28·2	5·1	138·5	7·4	1·0	29·8	68·1	13·2	44·6	37·9	39·2
	October ...	14·6	32·7	10·2	230·8	9·0	1·0	25·7	94·7	21·8	44·5	15·9	45·0
	November ...	12·1	23·1	19·8	141·4	7·3	2·2	24·0	78·4	11·4	73·3	35·7	34·8
	December ...	7·8	19·8	16·3	111·4	5·2	3·3	20·4	101·7	20·2	78·8	21·9	39·6
1969	January ...	11·1	27·7	21·4	268·8	8·0	15·8	22·8	69·4	8·2	57·1	9·5	44·9
	February ...	6·0	23·9	14·7	202·0	8·3	17·9	17·4	69·5	15·7	32·5	5·5	44·4

(1) Beef, veal, mutton, lamb, pork and offal; fresh, salted, chilled and frozen.

Source: Board of Trade

Imports of ores and metals

TABLE 139 — Monthly averages or calendar months — Thousand tons

	Ores and concentrates							Iron and steel		Unwrought copper	Unwrought aluminium	Lead and lead alloys	Zinc and zinc alloys
	Iron	Nickel	Bauxite	Zinc	Tin	Manganese	Titanium	Total	Ferro-alloys				
1965	1,571	5·30	38·8	19·1	3·7	41·2	23·6	100	25	48·1	26·4	18·0	16·1
1966	1,329	4·84	40·3	19·6	4·6	30·4	21·8	130	22	41·9	28·4	17·1	15·4
1967	1,340	4·88	37·6	21·2	5·2	33·7	22·3	180	21	37·0	25·2	15·1	13·4
1968	1,468	4·86	36·3	27·5	5·7	39·6	22·6	221	23	37·6	29·7	17·9	14·2
1967 November ...	1,262	1·06	53·5	23·6	5·6	56·0	21·1	233	21	44·9	33·0	26·9	11·8
December ...	1,297	8·14	22·8	33·2	5·8	29·0	18·1	199	20	29·5	31·1	16·0	11·1
1968 January	1,430	4·70	40·8	40·8	3·0	45·0	21·7	221	24	33·9	26·5	26·9	18·8
February ...	1,209	5·99	41·4	9·5	6·0	22·3	14·5	257	30	33·0	38·9	11·2	19·9
March	1,155	3·83	33·3	17·9	3·8	38·2	38·9	208	20	36·7	28·5	24·6	12·9
April	1,284	5·60	40·2	30·9	4·7	57·0	12·0	264	28	43·9	28·8	14·6	14·8
May	1,596	6·92	27·8	46·8	7·7	60·1	37·0	234	24	35·8	36·9	18·3	10·7
June	1,378	5·06	41·4	43·6	4·8	16·5	24·4	218	20	34·1	25·3	14·2	9·5
July	1,773	4·78	51·6	10·8	4·2	70·2	22·4	236	22	49·9	20·7	20·7	13·6
August	1,793	5·10	37·9	2·5	12·1	20·4	11·5	211	20	46·5	33·3	11·7	13·1
September ...	1,483	4·00	35·6	38·7	2·1	17·3	30·6	192	21	33·6	29·8	19·8	17·1
October	1,615	5·54	43·2	22·0	10·1	72·5	32·5	227	21	50·2	29·3	21·7	11·6
November ...	1,531	5·13	14·4	18·2	4·1	30·2	7·6	170	22	32·8	24·7	22·3	17·8
December ...	1,468	2·08	30·7	50·8	5·1	36·8	18·6	209	25	25·4	36·9	10·9	12·4
1969 January	1,586	7·39	53·1	33·8	6·6	26·2	28·3	236	26	40·7	31·0	16·0	14·7
February ...	1,311	9·42	32·2	38·7	6·5	65·0	49·5	209	25	41·0	29·9	21·2	13·6

Source: Board of Trade

Other selected imports

TABLE 140 — Monthly averages or calendar months

	Rubber (1)	Timber			Wood pulp	Petroleum		Paper and board		Jute	Sheeps' and lambs' wool (3)	Raw cotton (3)	Woven cotton fabrics, grey, unbleached
		Non-coniferous (2)	Coniferous (2)	Plywood		Crude and partly refined	Refined	Newsprint	Other				
	Thousand tons	Million cubic feet	Thousand standards	Thousand cu. metres	Thousand tons						Million lb.	Thousand tons	Million sq. yards
1965	20·2	3·82	159·8	72	240	5,471	1,643	49·0	115·1	9·5	46·5	16·6	37·6
1966	20·0	3·36	140·8	64	239	5,846	1,766	53·0	122·2	9·2	43·5	17·1	37·8
1967	20·8	3·10	150·2	83	223	6,103	1,948	50·0	146·7	9·7	43·1	13·7	42·2
1968	22·0	3·55	163·5	90	245	6,809	1,803	56·3	156·7	9·6	45·5	15·6	45·8
1967 November	31·9	3·33	155·0	86	259	6,575	2,106	34·2	142·2	21·9	41·3	19·1	74·2
December	22·2	3·17	152·8	79	240	5,619	1,939	58·4	157·5	16·5	39·7	13·9	46·7
1968 January ...	25·2	3·69	136·1	100	248	6,066	2,426	71·2	174·4	18·5	57·7	18·9	45·6
February ...	21·3	2·95	102·3	88	293	5,566	2,320	52·6	157·2	16·5	55·3	19·5	65·2
March ...	20·0	3·18	87·2	79	260	5,718	2,347	49·9	161·4	10·3	56·6	19·0	58·9
April ...	21·8	3·46	120·4	109	261	6,891	2,350	77·9	174·8	5·4	60·1	18·4	57·8
May... ...	26·6	3·46	160·3	97	265	8,213	1,920	48·4	168·2	5·5	56·5	17·3	56·5
June ...	18·6	3·31	191·9	88	220	7,206	1,256	54·8	141·8	5·0	37·1	11·0	41·2
July ...	20·4	4·21	224·9	99	225	7,572	1,812	58·3	172·2	1·2	57·7	21·1	50·9
August ...	16·0	3·82	220.5	81	239	7,358	1,292	49·2	138·7	5·7	40·9	14·1	34·4
September	23·1	3·71	198·5	75	229	6,728	1,362	70·5	154·9	4·9	23·7	13·6	34·2
October ...	22·6	3·58	211·6	96	250	8,082	1,533	72·4	173·9	11·5	23·6	14·4	37·8
November	24·5	3·51	151·9	81	208	6,391	1,537	57·7	134·9	6·8	39·8	10·0	47·6
December	25·3	3·87	162·3	86	261	6,796	1,920	27·0	138·8	24·9	40·4	11·3	20·2
1969 January ...	27·3	3·71	139·3	93	286	8,380	2,189	75·8	158·9	9·4	51·2	16·4	32·5
February ...	22·5	3·55	85·3	73	227	7,586	1,842	39·5	139·1	14·1	45·6	12·9	36·5

(1) Retained imports, natural and synthetic rubber and gutta percha.
(2) Excluding sleepers of all kinds and pitpoles and pitprops. Coniferous figures also exclude pulpwood, but include softwood, planed or dressed whether or not of coniferous species.
(3) Retained imports.

Source: Board of Trade

Exports of coal, iron and steel and non-ferrous metals

TABLE 141 — Monthly averages or calendar months — Thousand tons

	Coal	Iron and steel											
			Universals, plates and sheets										
	Foreign cargoes	Bars and rods (1)	Tinned plates and sheets	All other	Railway construction materials	Single wire	Wrought tubes and fittings	Copper and copper manufactures	Brass and brass manufactures	Aluminium and aluminium manufactures	Nickel	Lead	Zinc
1965	316	32	33	117	25	10	38	7·3	5·2	5·9	2·9	3·7	0·62
1966	231	28	31	126	14	9	29	8·5	6·1	6·3	2·8	3·7	0·50
1967	154	31	33	139	13	8	26	8·7	7·0	5·1	3·3	6·1	1·27
1968	222	51	30	137	12	10	32	8·2	6·5	5·2	3·8	8·6	2·24
1967 November ...	204	25	27	135	9	7	17	7·0	6·4	4·0	3·0	8·2	1·12
December ...	181	33	22	131	16	9	25	9·2	6·6	4·6	4·3	6·9	2·50
1968 January	163	39	42	127	9	9	26	8·7	5·4	4·5	3·8	20·0	1·59
February... ...	172	44	22	136	25	9	29	9·3	6·5	5·3	3·8	12·2	2·19
March	179	49	32	140	10	10	32	10·9	7·6	5·7	3·1	8·0	2·14
April	183	41	30	115	11	10	33	7·0	5·3	7·8	4·2	6·6	3·26
May	212	50	28	143	15	12	34	8·6	5·4	6·4	4·2	6·9	3·01
June	201	67	32	154	10	11	32	7·7	6·4	5·2	2·9	6·9	2·24
July	148	49	28	156	11	11	29	7·0	8·6	4·9	4·2	6·5	1·88
August	194	52	36	139	9	9	26	7·6	6·8	4·7	3·8	4·4	2·29
September ...	235	43	23	131	11	8	30	8·0	6·4	3·8	3·7	5·7	2·46
October	310	52	33	134	12	10	33	7·4	6·3	4·4	3·7	5·9	1·91
November ...	319	69	34	170	16	12	48	8·5	6·4	5·2	3·5	9·5	1·52
December ...	354	52	23	100	11	10	37	8·0	6·3	4·3	4·2	10·5	2·39
1969 January	253	33	36	85	12	8	35	15·0	5·8	5·3	3·1	10·2	2·61
February... ...	261	34	27	91	19	8	36	9·2	5·4	4·8	3·0	7·6	1·18

(1) Non-alloy, excluding sheet bars and tinplate bars.

Source: Board of Trade

Exports of machinery and vehicles

TABLE 142 — Monthly averages or calendar months

	Prime movers (not electrical)	Agricultural machinery	Machine tools (metal working)	Textile machinery	Mechanical handling and excavating machinery	Electrical machinery	Aircraft and parts(1)	Agricultural tractors	New motor cars		New commercial vehicles		Caravans	Pedal cycles
									Complete	Chassis	Complete	Chassis		
	£ thousand							Number						Thousands
1965	14,789	2,406	4,968	5,646	7,183	7,509	6,740	10,546	52,146	186	10,823	2,374	1,826	80
1966	16,606	2,537	4,233	6,565	7,518	7,682	10,836	12,063	46,040	287	11,384	2,065	1,606	63
1967	18,313	2,235	4,634	6,334	6,744	7,903	8,132	9,058	41,648	195	9,173	1,806	1,554	63
1968	25,123	2,774	5,774	8,029	8,794	8,621	11,263	8,771	56,380	1	9,672	2,115	2,155	64
1967 November	19,595	1,288	3,747	6,502	5,115	5,011	7,167	7,703	25,246	—	5,309	1,031	1,016	63
December	23,791	1,693	4,675	7,580	7,131	8,774	9,462	8,862	32,386	2	7,607	1,971	1,463	85
1968 January ...	25,880	2,097	5,713	9,805	7,487	10,188	14,492	7,551	41,175	—	9,835	2,597	1,523	44
February...	24,268	2,819	5,501	8,237	7,928	9,542	10,797	9,471	53,402	—	8,498	1,915	1,891	59
March ...	25,700	3,367	5,583	8,172	8,838	9,092	7,661	10,052	54,486	—	9,113	2,260	2,156	65
April ...	22,869	3,088	6,123	7,526	9,580	8,698	8,001	9,342	60,717	—	10,336	1,636	3,248	64
May ...	22,477	4,059	6,271	8,353	9,709	9,166	7,514	9,085	68,460	—	10,427	1,843	3,528	71
June ...	24,904	2,838	5,074	7,572	8,785	8,690	5,257	8,425	69,871	2	10,530	2,207	1,840	67
July ...	25,146	2,570	5,593	7,660	8,657	9,081	15,409	10,248	69,964	—	9,844	2,099	2,512	89
August ...	20,997	2,795	4,884	7,226	8,262	7,792	6,782	7,872	49,767	—	8,125	1,868	693	79
September	23,634	2,233	5,329	6,711	8,414	6,803	10,891	8,418	54,931	6	8,887	1,315	537	56
October ...	23,662	2,287	5,791	7,931	9,501	7,190	14,061	7,777	42,745	—	9,054	2,431	1,680	63
November	29,721	3,103	6,265	6,890	9,919	9,279	16,337	9,876	60,901	—	10,987	2,802	3,574	64
December	29,272	2,154	5,894	9,517	7,951	9,080	14,919	7,007	49,861	—	9,999	2,368	2,677	53
1969 January ...	25,659	2,778	6,281	9,963	9,075	9,493	14,986	9,134	60,256	—	11,964	2,596	2,826	40
February...	20,012	2,938	5,019	8,452	8,378	8,458	9,261	10,002	60,862	—	10,873	2,669	1,891	54

(1) Excluding engines, electrical parts and aircraft other than newly constructed.

Source: Board of Trade

Exports of textiles

TABLE 143

Monthly averages or calendar months

	Wool					Cotton			Man-made fibres		Flax fabrics	Felt base, etc. floor covering and linoleum
	Sheep's and lambs' wool	Tops	Yarn	Woven fabrics	Carpets	Yarn	Thread	Woven piece goods	Yarn and thread	Fabrics		
	Million lb.			Thousand square yards		Million lb.		Million sq. yds.	Million lb.	Thousand square yards		
1965	5·12	5·33	2·51	7,375	657	0·85	0·42	17	7·58	9,272	2,538	2,687
1966	4·92	5·22	2·46	6,757	723	0·97	0·40	14	7·95	6,954	2,423	2,136
1967	4·54	4·29	2·31	6,297	784	0·98	0·40	12	8·79	7,849	2,189	1,816
1968	5·31	4·67	2·64	6,910	1,224	1·16	0·33	13	10·92	8,631	2,231	1,839
1967 November	5·09	3·21	2·05	6,045	754	1·11	0·40	9	10·32	8,120	2,823	1,385
December	5·53	4·48	2·16	6,463	969	1·12	0·46	14	9·77	8,748	2,679	2,461
1968 January	5·36	4·28	2·53	6,477	983	0·87	0·42	12	10·46	8,635	2,559	1,454
February	3·94	4·55	2·27	6,708	1,027	0·97	0·42	14	13·20	8,009	2,014	2,165
March	7·55	5·52	2·33	6,644	1,323	1·29	0·40	13	10·72	8,906	2,485	2,868
April	6·63	4·74	2·30	6,170	1,124	1·38	0·41	14	10·65	7,547	2,018	2,640
May	5·93	5·44	2·72	6,907	1,171	1·11	0·33	13	10·90	8,771	2,159	1,838
June	4·75	4·71	2·18	7,203	1,082	1·25	0·31	11	9·60	8,457	2,187	2,030
July	4·24	4·33	2·84	7,478	1,156	1·23	0·29	11	11·64	8,747	1,980	1,472
August	3·26	5·76	2·44	7,282	1,116	1·00	0·26	11	9·89	7,665	1,475	1,714
September	3·72	4·13	2·55	7,232	1,119	1·00	0·24	13	10·01	7,704	2,457	1,342
October	4·87	3·67	3·22	6,665	1,375	1·13	0·25	11	10·86	9,180	2,161	1,405
November	7·49	5·34	3·47	7,769	1,640	1·40	0·32	15	11·56	9,805	2,411	1,318
December	5·33	4·14	2·94	6,377	1,602	1·11	0·29	15	11·71	9,817	2,783	1,969
1969 January	5·09	4·77	3·20	6,647	1,457	1·23	0·27	12	12·49	9,286	1,773	1,530
February	4·72	4·18	2·60	5,890	1,285	1·25	0·24	13	11·57	10,119	2,284	1,288

Source: Board of Trade

Other selected exports

TABLE 144

Monthly averages or calendar months

	Refined petroleum	Refined sugar	Manufactured nitrogenous fertilizers	Plastics materials	Paper and board	Cement	Pottery	Prefabricated metal buildings	Electric cables, wires etc.(1)	Home made spirituous beverages	Cigarettes	Leather, dressed and undressed	Motor tyres
	Thousand tons									Million proof gallons	Thousand cwt.	£ million	Thousands
1965	876	24·8	36	29·4	18·2	23	3·05	2·15	7·0	3·77	21·1	1·83	290
1966	972	24·8	30	31·1	18·0	21	3·06	1·88	7·0	3·97	23·3	1·98	314
1967	935	26·8	31	33·6	17·2	27	2·88	1·79	5·3	4·13	24·7	1·84	369
1968	1,146	16·9	28	36·1	20·8	22	3·14	2·18	7·3	5·57	26·9	2·35	375
1967 November	944	13·7	10	28·9	14·4	21	2·45	0·58	2·7	6·03	25·6	1·73	326
December	921	10·9	24	35·9	17·8	8	3·15	1·26	8·3	4·50	26·1	2·00	448
1968 January	1,482	15·2	18	34·7	18·3	29	3·18	1·45	6·6	5·81	27·0	2·10	352
February	1,122	17·3	34	32·7	21·3	23	2·81	3·40	9·1	3·58	29·4	2·27	465
March	770	14·2	50	33·3	20·6	17	2·86	2·56	5·8	3·85	25·6	2·25	406
April	773	19·5	22	36·5	21·3	28	3·08	2·02	8·1	3·22	26·8	2·18	421
May	685	19·9	21	38·6	19·3	12	2·99	1·04	4·5	4·90	28·3	2·45	404
June	1,176	17·3	29	36·5	20·8	13	2·86	1·51	12·5	6·45	27·5	2·35	290
July	1,238	16·8	31	35·6	20·8	27	2·48	2·39	7·3	5·60	25·5	2·31	360
August	1,290	17·4	30	34·1	20·2	33	3·72	1·96	6·3	6·96	27·8	2·34	314
September	1,263	14·9	26	34·1	19·0	18	3·79	1·83	6·0	6·55	28·1	2·20	334
October	1,110	14·4	28	37·0	20·5	25	3·30	2·26	8·8	6·25	23·3	2·55	380
November	1,500	24·7	35	42·7	24·6	14	3·58	2·85	5·8	6·84	29·0	2·81	398
December	1,353	11·4	15	36·3	21·9	28	3·14	2·37	6·6	6·77	24·2	2·49	382
1969 January	1,681	16·3	37	37·7	24·1	24	2·48	3·14	5·0	2·96	23·7	2·46	418
February	1,229	9·5	24	35·5	22·2	14	2·42	2·79	4·6	3·08	33·7	2·31	384

(1) Electric cables, wires, strips and strands insulated.

Source: Board of Trade

XV. OVERSEAS FINANCE

Balance of payments

TABLE 145

£ million

	Current account							Long-term capital account(2)				Balance of current and long-term capital transactions
				Invisibles				Private investment (net)				
	Imports (f.o.b.) (1)	Exports and re-exports (f.o.b.)	Visible balance (1)	Debits	Credits	Invisible balance	Current balance	Official capital (net)	Abroad	In the United Kingdom	Total	Balance of long-term capital	
1963	4,362	4,282	− 80	2,292	2,483	+191	+111	−105	−320	+277	− 43	−148	− 37
1964	5,003	4,466	−537	2,519	2,657	+138	−399	−116	−396	+142	−254	−370	−769
1965	5,049	4,777	−272	2,693	2,874	+181	− 91	− 86	−353	+236	−117	−203	−294
1966	5,244	5,108	−136	2,778	2,919	+141	+ 5	− 81	−303	+282	− 21	−102	− 97
1967	5,661	5,026	−635	2,897	3,133	+236	−399	− 57	−435	+376	− 59	−116	−515
1968	6,899	6,103	−796	3,321	3,698	+377	−419	+ 23	−621	+559	− 62	− 39	−458
Unadjusted													
1966 1st quarter ...	1,369	1,287	− 82	637	698	+ 61	− 21	− 25	− 81	+ 55	− 26	− 51	− 72
2nd quarter ...	1,316	1,216	−100	695	746	+ 51	− 49	+ 19	− 93	+ 80	− 13	+ 6	− 43
3rd quarter ...	1,318	1,207	−111	772	779	+ 7	−104	− 15	− 64	+ 58	− 6	− 21	−125
4th quarter ...	1,241	1,398	+157	674	696	+ 22	+179	− 60	− 65	+ 89	+ 24	− 36	+143
1967 1st quarter ...	1,435	1,342	− 93	640	725	+ 85	− 8	− 10	− 87	+113	+ 26	+ 16	+ 8
2nd quarter ...	1,443	1,336	−107	713	755	+ 42	− 65	+ 12	−102	+ 95	− 7	+ 5	− 60
3rd quarter ...	1,330	1,186	−144	777	839	+ 62	− 82	− 16	− 75	+ 57	− 18	− 34	−116
4th quarter ...	1,453	1,162	−291	767	814	+ 47	−244	− 43	−171	+111	− 60	−103	−347
1968 1st quarter ...	1,744	1,497	−247	789	862	+ 73	−174	− 14	−191	+ 83	−108	−122	−296
2nd quarter ...	1,701	1,486	−215	819	941	+122	− 93	+ 41	−165	+112	− 53	− 12	−105
3rd quarter ...	1,704	1,489	−215	891	998	+107	−108	+ 9	− 97	+260	+163	+172	+ 64
4th quarter ...	1,750	1,631	−119	822	897	+ 75	− 44	− 13	−168	+104	− 64	− 77	−121
Seasonally adjusted													
1966 1st quarter ...	1,340	1,253	− 87	688	732	+ 44	− 43	− 38	− 73	+ 49	− 24	− 62	−105
2nd quarter ...	1,311	1,203	−108	693	725	+ 32	− 76	+ 3	− 96	+ 78	− 18	− 15	− 91
3rd quarter ...	1,357	1,291	− 66	697	729	+ 32	− 34	− 14	− 69	+ 71	+ 2	− 12	− 46
4th quarter ...	1,236	1,361	+125	700	733	+ 33	+158	− 32	− 65	+ 84	+ 19	− 13	+145
1967 1st quarter ...	1,399	1,350	− 49	685	753	+ 68	+ 19	− 23	− 80	+ 99	+ 19	− 4	+ 15
2nd quarter ...	1,418	1,277	−141	709	743	+ 34	−107	− 4	−104	+ 99	− 5	− 9	−116
3rd quarter ...	1,364	1,269	− 95	710	784	+ 74	− 21	− 18	− 79	+ 69	− 10	− 28	− 49
4th quarter ...	1,480	1,130	−350	793	853	+ 60	−290	− 12	−172	+109	− 63	− 75	−365
1968 1st quarter ...	1,691	1,491	−200	832	897	+ 65	−135	− 22	−183	+ 69	−114	−136	−271
2nd quarter ...	1,696	1,436	−260	805	931	+126	−134	+ 32	−167	+113	− 54	− 22	−156
3rd quarter ...	1,755	1,567	−188	815	930	+115	− 73	+ 20	−102	+274	+172	+192	+119
4th quarter ...	1,757	1,609	−148	869	940	+ 71	− 77	− 7	−169	+103	− 66	− 73	−150

(1) Excluding deliveries of, but including payments for, U.S. military aircraft and missiles.

(2) Assets: increase −, decrease +. Liabilities: increase +, decrease −.

(3) The net total of contra entries, arising from the revaluation in sterling terms of certain official monetary or banking assets and liabilities including the sterling counterpart of drawings on central bank facilities, or included to account for the fact that the pre-devaluation forward commitments of the Exchange Equalisation Account are recorded as being settled on maturity at the new parity.

(4) Includes changes in official holdings of non-convertible currencies.

(5) Consists of non-sterling countries and international organisations other than I.M.F.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Balance of payments

TABLE 145 (*continued*) £ million

	Balancing item	Monetary movements(2): Exchange adjustments (3)	Miscellaneous capital etc. (4)	Change in liabilities in overseas sterling area currencies (net)	Change in liabilities in non-sterling currencies (net)	Change in external sterling liabilities (net): Sterling area countries	Change in external sterling liabilities (net): Non-sterling areas (5)	Change in external sterling liabilities (net): Total	Change in account with I.M.F.	Transfer from dollar portfolio to reserves	Change in gold and convertible currency reserves	Balance of monetary movements
1963	− 73	—	− 41	− 6	− 16	+162	− 47	+115	+ 5	—	+ 53	+110
1964	+ 39	—	− 27	+ 8	+220	− 1	+ 49	+ 48	+359	—	+122	+730
1965	+ 55	—	+ 40	+ 7	−125	+ 3	+ 61	+ 64	+499	—	−246	+239
1966	− 8	—	−116	− 45	−146	+ 5	+127	+132	− 2	+316	− 34	+105
1967	+215	−101	− 8	+ 24	+219	−146	+442	+296	−318	+204	− 16	+300
1968	− 87	−255	− 13	− 46	+ 60	−152	+312	+160	+525	—	+114	+545
1966 1st quarter	+ 39	—	− 54	+ 23	− 41	+ 88	− 99	− 11	+ 3	+316	−203	+ 33
2nd quarter	− 22	—	− 52	− 18	− 69	+173	− 68	+105	− 7	—	+106	+ 65
3rd quarter	+ 45	—	− 6	− 45	− 5	−162	+253	+ 91	+ 4	—	+ 41	+ 80
4th quarter	− 70	—	− 4	− 5	− 31	− 94	+ 41	− 53	− 2	—	+ 22	− 73
1967 1st quarter	+150	—	+ 1	+ 10	+141	+ 76	−308	−232	− 21	—	− 57	−158
2nd quarter	+ 99	—	+ 17	+ 14	− 26	−112	+ 82	− 30	−166	—	+152	− 39
3rd quarter	−105	—	+ 21	− 23	− 15	− 64	+271	+207	− 5	—	+ 36	+221
4th quarter	+ 71	−101	− 47	+ 23	+119	− 46	+397	+351	−126	+204	−147	+276
1968 1st quarter	− 88	−124	+ 11	+ 1	+160	+102	+241	+343	+ 4	—	− 11	+384
2nd quarter	+ 5	− 83	+ 32	+ 97	+ 99	−372	−277	−649	+588	—	+ 16	+100
3rd quarter	+ 14	− 23	− 28	−122	− 90	+ 71	+159	+230	− 31	—	− 14	− 78
4th quarter	− 18	− 25	− 28	− 22	−109	+ 47	+189	+236	− 36	—	+123	+139

See footnotes on page 117.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Reserves and net liabilities in sterling and in other currencies

TABLE 146 End of period £ million

	Gold and convertible currency reserves (1)	External liabilities in sterling (net): Total	International organisations	Sterling area countries (2)(4)	Non-sterling countries (3)(4)	U.K. banks' external liabilities (net) in overseas sterling area currencies	U.K. banks' external liabilities (net) in non-sterling currencies: Total	U.S. dollars	Other
1962	1,002	3,769	606	2,430	733	72	28	81	− 53
1963	949	3,889	627	2,592	670	66	12	48	− 36
1964	827	4,296	991	2,591	714	74	160	254	− 94
1965	1,073	4,856	1,481	2,594	781	81	142	269	−127
1966	1,107	5,149	1,655	2,599	895	36	− 18	116	−134
1967 1st quarter	1,164	4,895	1,625	2,675	595	46	137	317	−180
2nd quarter	1,012	4,699	1,456	2,563	680	60	111	196	− 85
3rd quarter	976	4,901	1,439	2,499	963	37	96	240	−144
4th quarter	1,123	5,346	1,540	2,453	1,353	60	8	201	−193
1968 1st quarter	1,134	5,693	1,543	2,555	1,595	61	20	218	−198
2nd quarter	1,118	5,633	2,136	2,183	1,314	158	37	193	−156
3rd quarter	1,132	5,832	2,109	2,254	1,469	36	68	174	−106
October	1,128	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
November	1,046	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
December	1,009	6,032	2,082	2,301	1,649	14	29	167	−138
1969 January	1,014								
February	1,022								
March	1,029								

(1) The parity of sterling changed from £1 to $2.80 to £1 to $2.40 on 18 November 1967.
(2) Including Rhodesia up to the end of 1965 and Burma up to the end of 1966.
(3) Including Rhodesia from the beginning of 1966 and Burma from the beginning of 1967.
(4) From the second quarter of 1968 the levels are rounded independently of the total. Hence the implied changes from quarter to quarter may differ from those shown in Table 145 (*continued*).

Sources: H.M. Treasury
Bank of England

XVI. HOME FINANCE

Consolidated Fund

Revenue and expenditure

TABLE 147

£ million

	Revenue						Expenditure					
									Standing services			
	Total	Inland Revenue	Customs and Excise	Selective employment tax	Motor vehicle duties	Miscellaneous receipts	Total	Supply services	Debt interest (1)	Payments to Northern Ireland	Other expenditure (2)	Surplus transferred to National Loans Fund (3)
Financial years												
1966/67 (4)	9,769	4,991	3,536	600	244	398	9,019	8,161	643	164	51	750
1967/68 (4)	11,227	5,765	3,721	1,064	269	408	10,871	9,976	668	194	33	356
1968/69	13,363	6,657	4,600	1,363	393	476	11,615	10,810	552	224	29	1,748
1968 2nd quarter	2,621	1,180	988	273	102	78	2,634	2,448	148	48	−10	− 13
3rd quarter	2,834	1,308	1,028	289	88	121	2,777	2,556	163	50	8	57
4th quarter	2,977	1,156	1,217	407	89	108	2,957	2,749	128	52	28	20
1968 October ...	943	411	316	145	28	43	963	917	21	17	8	− 20
November ...	1,102	368	533	126	33	42	959	922	17	18	2	143
December ...	932	377	368	136	28	23	1,035	910	90	17	18	−103
1969 January ...	1,738	1,134	381	140	35	48	1,014	925	26	25	38	724
February ...	1,753	958	576	123	45	51	940	943	—	24	−27	813
March ...	1,140	795	410	131	34	70	1,293	1,189	87	25	− 8	147

(1) Payment to National Loans Fund representing its payments for the service of the national debt less its receipts of interest on loans outstanding.
(2) Includes net issues to Civil Contingencies Fund.
(3) A negative item represents a temporary borrowing from the Fund.
(4) Calculated on the new basis for purposes of comparison.

Source: H.M. Treasury

National Loans Fund(1)

Net lending

TABLE 148

£ million

	Total	Government guaranteed stock redemption	Loans to nationalised industries							Loans to other public corporations		Loans to local authorities (4)	Loans to private sector (5)	Lending within central government (6)
			Post Office	Coal	Electricity (2)	Gas	Steel	Aviation (3)	Transport	New Towns Corporations and Commission	Other			
Financial years														
1966/67 (7) ...	1,528	13	130	43	427	164	—	3	33	62	18	543	2	90
1967/68 (7) ...	1,744	—	200	76	380	262	175	17	88	69	−1	361	−4	121
1968/69 ...	1,423	—	240	20	204	206	−18	29	44	79	48	478	−8	101
1968 2nd quarter	256	—	20	23	17	31	—	3	9	13	5	108	−3	30
3rd quarter	458	—	80	40	87	75	5	9	6	16	18	85	−1	38
4th quarter	484	—	65	−7	72	88	—	23	23	14	8	190	−2	10
1968 October ...	92	—	35	5	15	8	—	3	1	4	2	18	—	1
November	140	—	10	−6	49	20	—	2	4	5	4	44	−1	9
December...	252	—	20	−6	8	60	—	18	18	5	2	128	−1	—
1969 January ...	70	—	15	−4	22	−7	—	−8	5	4	10	21	−1	13
February ...	75	—	—	−15	6	16	—	2	1	4	6	46	—	9
March ...	80	—	60	−17	—	3	−23	—	—	28	1	28	−1	1

(1) In addition to its lending, the National Loans Fund meets the interest and management charges of the national debt. To the extent that these charges are not matched by interest received on its own lending and by profits of the Issue Department of the Bank of England, the Consolidated Fund meets the difference. The surplus on the Consolidated Fund is paid to the Fund, leaving the differences between that and its net lending as the Fund's financing requirement.
(2) Electricity Council, North of Scotland Hydro-Electric Board and South of Scotland Electricity Board.
(3) British Overseas Airways Corporation, British European Airways Corporation and British Airports Authority.
(4) Including loans to harbour authorities.
(5) Loans under the Ship Credit Scheme and to housing associations and building societies.
(6) Loans to Votes for U.S. military aircraft, married quarters for armed forces and Town and County Planning compensation; and lending to Redundancy Fund, Land Commission and Northern Ireland Government.
(7) Calculated on the new basis for purposes of comparison.

Source: H.M. Treasury

Central government borrowing requirement (net balance)(1)

TABLE 149 — **Old presentation** — £ million

	Central government borrowing requirement (net balance) (1)	Exchequer account			Extra-Exchequer Funds, etc.				
		Exchequer borrowing and special transactions (net)	Surplus of revenue over expenditure	Consolidated Fund loans (net)	Total	National Insurance Funds	Iron and Steel Realisation Account	Issue department income	Departmental balances and miscellaneous
Financial years									
1963/64	376	−437	90	− 527	61	−33	19	57	18
1964/65	313	−386	444	− 830	73	5	−18	63	23
1965/66	499	−577	688	−1,265	78	30	1	75	−28
1966/67	727	−740	738	−1,478	13	− 4	− 1	50	−32
1967/68	1,331	−1,331	330	−1,661	—	−82	−22	105	− 1
Quarters ended									
1965 March	−735	770	846	− 76	− 35	−15	−31	17	− 6
June	476	−448	−163	−285	− 28	6	—	12	− 46
September	328	−418	− 39	−379	90	17	—	18	55
December	528	−439	−145	−294	− 89	12	—	8	−109
1966 March	−833	728	1,035	−307	105	− 5	1	37	72
June	438	−443	−209	−234	5	7	—	5	− 7
September	424	−613	− 46	−567	189	27	− 3	23	142
December	492	−311	− 18	−293	−181	− 9	—	10	−182
1967 March	−627	627	1,011	−384	—	−29	2	12	15
June	423	−434	−169	−265	11	−22	4	34	− 5
September	542	−764	−132	−632	222	−13	—	19	216
December	796	−490	−267	−223	−306	−45	− 1	39	−299
1968 March	−430	357	898	−541	73	− 2	−25	13	87

New presentation

	National Loans Fund				*less* surplus of National Insurance Funds(2)	*less* departmental balances and miscellaneous(2)	Central government borrowing requirement (net balance)
	Net lending	*less* surplus from Consolidated Fund(2)	Other items	Borrowing required			
Financial years							
1966/67(3)	1,528	− 753	−16(4)(5)	762	4	− 39	727
1967/68(3)	1,744	− 356	− 3(5)	1,385	82	−136	1,331
1968/69	1,423	−1,748	−12(5)	−337			
1968 2nd quarter	256	13	− 6(6)	263	38	93	394
3rd quarter	458	−57	—	401	2	− 43	360
4th quarter	484	−20	—	464	23	− 60	427
1968 July	176	9	—	185			
August	163	−133	—	30			
September	119	67	—	186			
October	92	20	—	112			
November	140	−143	—	− 3			
December	252	103	—	355			
1969 January	70	−724	—	−654			
February	75	−813	63(7)	−675			
March	80	−147	−69(5)	−136			

(1) This is equal to Exchequer borrowing and special transactions (net) *less* receipts from extra-Exchequer funds, etc. It is also equal to the amount the central government borrows *less* any increase (or *plus* any decrease) in its holdings of gold and currency reserves.
(2) A negative item represents a surplus, a positive item a deficit.
(3) Calculated on the new basis for purposes of comparison.
(4) Adjustment for redemption of government guaranteed stock
(5) Including transfer of surplus of the death duties surrendered securities account.
(6) Including surrender of final balance on the local loans fund.
(7) Consolidated Fund liability for service of the National Debt; balance carried over until March 1969.

Sources: H.M. Treasury
Central Statistical Office

TABLE 150

Payments and net receipts by Board of Inland Revenue

£ million

	Cumulative total in current financial year		Net receipts by Board of Inland Revenue									Payments of overspill relief (3)
	Payments into consolidated fund	Net receipts by Board of Inland Revenue	Total (1)	Income tax	Surtax	Corporation tax	Profits tax, excess profits tax and excess profits levy(2)	Capital gains tax	Death duties	Stamp duties	Special charge	
1962/63	3,751·6	3,752·5	3,752·5	2,820·6	183·5	—	381·9	—	270·5	95·7	—	—
1963/64 Years	3,711·6	3,719·3	3,719·3	2,750·4	178·4	—	391·5	—	312·5	86·4	—	—
1964/65 ended	4,071·2	4,072·0	4,072·0	3,088·3	184·4	—	422·7	—	296·7	80·0	—	—
1965/66 31 March(4)	4,687·8	4,692·9	4,692·9	3,682·5	203·8	—	436·8	—	292·9	76·6	—	—
1966/67	4,990·7	4,997·6	4,997·6	3,236·5	243·7	1,048·9	83·7	7·5	300·9	76·3	—	43·6
1967/68	5,765·1	5,746·4	5,746·4	3,819·1	238·6	1,213·1	31·5	15·7	329·9	98·4	—	62·8
1968 January 27	4,026·3	4,159·6	950·0	472·6	58·8	383·3	2·3	1·9	23·8	7·2	—	3·3
February 24	4,835·8	4,940·3	780·7	357·2	44·0	332·6	1·8	1·6	34·2	9·2	—	3·8
March 31	5,765·1	5,746·4	806·0	367·1	34·2	353·0	2·0	2·3	38·3	9·2	—	2·9
April 27	324·2	415·5	415·5	324·9	13·8	36·3	1·1	1·6	28·6	9·2	—	1·4
May 25	704·3	784·9	369·4	292·0	11·3	25·3	0·7	1·6	29·8	8·6	—	2·8
June 30	1,180·3	1,204·1	419·2	338·7	10·9	21·5	0·5	1·9	33·8	11·9	—	1·1
July 27	1,610·2	1,663·6	459·5	395·6	8·0	16·5	1·0	2·9	26·6	8·8	—	1·2
August 31	2,131·6	2,150·8	487·2	407·0	8·0	21·4	0·3	4·0	34·6	11·8	—	1·9
September 30	2,488·4	2,516·8	366·1	301·9	6·3	19·3	0·4	3·4	25·8	8·9	0·1	2·6
October 26	2,843·3	2,871·7	354·9	295·0	5·5	12·7	0·4	2·9	27·3	10·7	0·4	2·9
November 30	3,267·1	3,283·3	411·6	329·6	7·9	20·1	0·8	4·3	37·7	10·5	0·7	11·5
December 31	3,644·3	3,694·6	411·2	290·3	10·9	57·0	0·7	5·4	30·5	11·3	5·1	1·1
1969 January 25	4,530·3	4,671·1	976·5	504·7	54·1	347·2	0·3	5·2	26·1	9·4	29·6	3·5
February 22	5,468·2	5,583·3	912·2	418·8	46·0	377·2	0·2	4·7	34·4	11·6	19·2	0·9
March 31	6,531·5	6,547·7	964·4	451·8	42·3	389·4	1·3	8·9	46·6	11·9	12·3	22·0

(1) Including some land tax, mineral rights duty, excess profits duty and special contribution, not included under separate headings; these amounted to approximately £0·2 million in each of the financial years 1963/64 to 1966/67. (2) Receipts from excess profits tax and excess profits levy amounted to approximately £1 million in each of the years 1962/63 to 1965/66. (3) Payments due in certain cases where the overseas rate exceeds the corporation tax rate (Section 84, Finance Act 1965). The figures relate to calendar months. (4) The yearly totals include revisions which cannot be allocated to particular monthly periods.

Customs and Excise duties

£ million

	Cumulative total in current financial year		Receipts by H.M. Customs and Excise(5)(6)								
	Net payments into consolidated fund	Receipts by H.M. Customs and Excise	Total	Alcoholic drink	Tobacco	Purchase tax	Betting and gaming	Hydrocarbon oils	Protective duties	Import deposits	Other (7)
1963/64	2,765·9	2,766·1	2,766·1	499·2	892·1	564·9	33·3	591·7	162·4	—	22·5
1964/65 Years	3,173·4	3,171·4	3,171·4	574·7	983·7	633·1	32·4	674·2	179·0	—	94·3
1965/66 ended	3,401·2	3,400·0	3,400·0	627·5	1,014·2	646·3	33·2	784·5	185·6	—	108·7
1966/67 31 March	3,535·8	3,539·7	3,539·7	688·2	1,024·6	686·2	50·1	887·5	178·5	—	24·6
1967/68	3,721·3	3,716·9	3,716·9	747·9	1,043·4	747·8	67·9	969·4	213·8	—	−73·4
1968/69(8)	4,600·6	4,613·2	4,613·2	777·6	1,105·2	971·3	99·7	1,122·7	217·6	347·5	−28·4
1968 January			949·9	56·1	97·6	216·5	4·2	77·5	23·0	—	−3·5
February	3,721·3	3,717·8		49·6	85·5		5·5	77·2	20·5	—	−7·4
March				51·9	85·5		6·1	89·1	20·6	—	−5·5
April			991·4	50·7	80·4	229·3	8·7	87·9	19·2	—	−3·6
May	987·7	991·4		53·0	95·8		9·5	94·7	21·0	—	−1·4
June				60·2	80·7		7·2	87·1	15·7	—	−4·7
July			1,031·6	61·0	94·3	217·9	7·8	97·0	19·3	—	−1·3
August	2,016·0	2,023·0		63·7	88·8		8·9	98·5	17·3	—	−7·6
September				65·8	88·6		10·8	86·7	15·7	—	−1·7
October			1,222·3	79·5	110·1	234·5	12·3	95·7	19·5	—	−2·9
November	3,233·4	3,245·2		101·4	92·1		8·0	91·1	18·1	2·7	−2·3
December				84·1	84·9		7·6	98·6	14·6	74·5	−1·7
1969 January			1,368·5	50·6	104·9	289·8	6·9	101·6	19·0	96·0	−1·4
February	4,600·6	4,613·2		53·3	89·2		5·1	87·1	15·1	80·2	−0·5
March				52·8	94·4		7·0	102·3	19·3	94·5	−1·0

(5) The sum of the twelve monthly receipts under certain headings is slightly greater than the total shown for the financial year. This is because the monthly figures include duties ultimately payable to the Isle of Man and adjustments for these are made only at the end of the financial year. (6) Including receipts from the 10 per cent regulator on most Customs and Excise duties and on purchase tax, operative (i) from 26 July 1961 to 9 April 1962 and (ii) from 21 July 1966 to 11 April 1967 and (iii) from 23rd November 1968. (7) Including receipts from the temporary charge on imports from October 1964 to November 1966 less export rebates. (8) Provisional.

Sources: Board of Inland Revenue
H.M. Customs and Excise

Capital issues and redemptions in the United Kingdom[1]

TABLE 151 — £ million

	Gross issues	Gross redemptions	Issues *less* redemptions: Total				United Kingdom borrowers				Overseas borrowers [3]				
									Quoted public companies						
			Total	Loan capital	Preference shares	Ordinary shares	Total	Local authorities[2]	Quoted securities	Unquoted securities	Total quoted	Commonwealth	Other countries	Public authorities	Public companies
1963 ...	660·9	108·5	552·4	347·8	10·0	194·6	537·7	92·5	429·7	15·5	14·7	15·8	−1·1	6·0	8·7
1964 ...	757·9	82·0	675·9	443·0	7·5	225·4	610·4	89·9	474·6	45·9	65·5	5·2	60·3	43·2	22·3
1965 ...	825·9	150·1	675·8	602·7	−14·4	87·5	657·0	211·5	388·2	57·3	18·8	−22·7	41·5	−13·7	32·5
1966 ...	1,080·0	204·9	875·1	687·1	28·4	159·6	889·8	189·1	681·3	19·4	−14·7	−37·6	22·9	−29·4	14·7
1967 ...	1,012·5	207·2	805·3	722·5	−2·4	85·2	698·4	215·1	455·9	27·4	106·9	25·5	81·4	48·8	58·1
1968 ...	1,328·1	334·9	993·2	608·3	−10·0	394·9	759·8	122·0	619·0	18·8	233·4	−23·7	257·1	− 6·7	240·1
1963 1st qtr.	150·4	19·0	131·4	73·2	1·5	56·7	128·6	19·9	101·7	7·0	2·8	10·0	−7·2	−4·0	6·8
2nd qtr.	115·1	11·4	103·7	68·8	3·9	31·0	95·3	11·6	81·7	2·0	8·4	4·8	3·6	8·0	0·4
3rd qtr.	158·4	28·6	129·8	81·9	1·2	46·7	137·6	31·4	95·5	10·7	−7·8	−6·4	−1·4	−8·5	0·7
4th qtr.	237·0	49·5	187·5	123·9	3·4	60·2	176·2	29·6	150·8	−4·2	11·3	7·4	3·9	10·5	0·8
1964 1st qtr.	250·1	28·7	221·4	133·5	4·3	83·6	193·5	17·6	162·0	13·9	27·9	6·6	21·3	20·5	7·4
2nd qtr.	199·0	16·7	182·3	101·4	1·3	79·6	163·3	25·7	131·5	6·1	19·0	5·6	13·4	13·7	5·3
3rd qtr.	199·6	20·7	178·9	131·9	1·1	45·9	173·4	39·7	122·5	11·2	5·5	−4·7	10·2	−0·5	6·0
4th qtr.	109·2	15·9	93·3	76·2	0·8	16·3	80·2	6·9	58·6	14·7	13·1	−2·3	15·4	9·5	3·6
1965 1st qtr.	185·8	22·7	163·1	150·1	−0·3	13·4	139·9	52·6	75·7	11·6	23·2	2·6	20·6	14·7	8·5
2nd qtr.	169·5	39·9	129·6	113·1	−14·6	31·1	135·8	64·8	57·4	13·6	−6·2	−13·7	7·5	−15·4	9·2
3rd qtr.	218·6	61·6	157·0	136·0	−0·1	21·1	172·8	30·1	123·1	19·6	−15·8	−17·8	2·0	−19·0	3·2
4th qtr.	252·0	25·9	226·1	203·5	0·7	21·9	208·5	64·0	132·0	12·5	17·6	6·2	11·4	6·0	11·6
1966 1st qtr.	372·3	34·2	338·1	256·0	5·0	77·1	337·6	79·5	249·0	9·1	0·5	−7·6	8·1	−5·3	5·8
2nd qtr.	227·6	21·8	205·8	146·2	10·8	48·8	205·3	65·7	136·2	3·4	0·5	−0·2	0·7	−0·3	0·8
3rd qtr.	238·4	85·7	152·7	115·4	8·8	28·5	165·9	5·1	157·3	3·5	−13·2	−23·7	10·5	−21·3	8·1
4th qtr.	241·7	63·2	178·5	169·5	3·8	5·2	181·0	38·8	138·8	3·4	− 2·5	−6·1	3·6	−2·5	—
1967 1st qtr.	289·5	52·3	237·2	221·1	−2·4	18·5	208·8	52·0	141·7	15·1	28·4	8·8	19·6	22·6	5·8
April .	70·1	26·5	43·6	42·1	0·2	1·3	41·9	18·7	20·9	2·3	1·7	−0·1	1·8	−3·0	4·7
May ...	85·5	1·9	83·6	81·7	0·3	1·6	74·3	43·7	30·6	—	9·3	—	9·3	3·1	6·2
June...	84·8	13·6	71·2	68·3	−0·8	3·7	58·9	35·9	23·0	—	12·3	—	12·3	6·4	5·9
July ...	83·8	30·7	53·1	44·2	−0·8	9·7	58·1	19·1	33·3	5·7	−5·0	−11·1	6·1	−12·4	7·4
Aug....	53·0	18·8	34·2	25·1	−0·6	9·7	33·1	17·2	15·4	0·5	1·1	−0·3	1·4	—	1·1
Sept....	105·5	17·4	88·1	62·8	−0·1	25·4	75·5	16·5	59·0	—	12·6	1·1	11·5	5·3	7·3
Oct....	74·2	13·0	61·2	54·8	—	6·4	52·0	9·0	43·0	—	9·2	3·3	5·9	5·0	4·2
Nov....	79·9	14·6	65·3	60·5	—	4·8	44·2	3·4	40·5	0·3	21·1	8·7	12·4	7·7	13·4
Dec....	86·2	18·4	67·8	61·4	1·8	4·6	51·6	−0·4	48·5	3·5	16·2	15·1	1·1	14·1	2·1
1968 Jan. ...	98·8	19·5	79·3	60·8	0·6	17·9	35·7	−3·9	30·9	8·7	43·6	9·0	34·6	7·4	36·2
Feb. ...	64·2	38·9	25·3	17·3	−0·4	8·4	12·5	−9·3	21·2	0·6	12·8	−9·3	22·1	−5·6	18·4
March.	51·6	13·3	38·3	32·8	−0·3	5·8	35·8	15·1	17·9	2·8	2·5	−0·7	3·2	−1·0	3·5
April	63·4	9·3	54·1	31·4	0·5	22·2	48·2	21·2	27·0	—	5·9	—	5·9	−0·3	6·2
May...	126·8	35·8	91·0	63·7	0·2	27·1	49·5	19·1	30·4	—	41·5	−6·9	48·4	−9·4	50·9
June...	124·4	30·6	93·8	50·5	−0·2	43·5	62·5	−6·6	69·1	—	31·3	—	31·3	6·0	25·3
July ...	154·7	23·5	131·2	67·5	—	63·7	96·7	23·3	72·8	0·6	34·5	8·4	26·1	9·8	24·7
August	149·0	41·4	107·6	74·8	−1·1	33·9	87·3	13·1	73·7	0·5	20·3	−8·4	28·7	−8·4	28·7
Sept....	141·1	44·5	96·6	57·0	−0·1	39·7	99·9	16·9	83·0	—	−3·3	−16·2	12·9	−15·4	12·1
Oct....	132·8	32·0	100·8	59·6	−0·1	41·3	80·0	7·6	72·1	0·3	20·8	−0·7	21·5	3·3	17·5
Nov...	156·8	23·0	133·8	57·5	−0·4	76·7	115·3	18·2	94·5	2·6	18·5	—	18·5	5·1	13·4
Dec...	64·5	23·1	41·4	35·4	−8·7	14·7	36·4	7·3	26·4	2·7	5·0	1·1	3·9	0·3	4·7
1969 Jan. ..	116·7	11·3	105·4	68·3	−0·3	37·4	86·8	19·3	58·9	8·6	18·6	3·8	14·8	3·0	15·6
Feb. ..	154·3	26·3	128·0	115·3	0·1	12·6	102·6	7·9	93·5	1·2	25·4	−0·3	25·7	−0·6	26·0
March.	133·3	23·8	109·5	83·7	1·2	24·6	83·7	10·1	81·3	2·5	25·8	−0·6	26·4	1·2	24·6

(1) Excluding securities of the British government and nationalised industries.

(2) The estimates include United Kingdom local authority negotiable bonds (of not less than one year) issued to or through the agency of banks, discount houses, issuing houses or brokers; these bonds were first issued in February 1964.

(3) Amounts included for issues denominated in foreign currencies have been converted at rates ruling at the time of issue.

Source: Bank of England

Bank of England

TABLE 152 — Average of Wednesdays — £ million

	Issue Department(1)			Banking Department										Bank rate	
				Deposits					Securities						
	Notes in circulation	Notes in Banking Department	Government securities(2)	Total	Public	Special (3)	Bankers'	Other accounts	Total	Government	Discounts and advances	Other	Notes and coin	Date of change	New rate
															Per cent.
1963	2,398·2	42·5	2,439·4	334·3	12·5	—	249·3	72·5	309·1	227·7	60·2	21·1	43·4	1939	
1964	2,561·7	40·6	2,600·9	342·2	12·4	—	250·6	79·2	318·9	251·2	42·9	24·9	41·4	Aug. 24	4(4)
1965	2,727·4	48·5	2,774·5	424·9	12·3	56·4	266·6	89·6	393·7	311·1	57·1	25·6	49·3	Sept. 28	3
														Oct. 26 1951	2
1966	2,892·5	44·4	2,935·5	526·3	13·3	140·7	265·4	106·9	499·2	410·6	61·9	26·7	45·3	Nov. 8	2½
1967	2,971·5	40·4	3,010·5	605·0	12·5	204·2	275·2	113·0	582·0	451·3	102·8	27·9	41·1	1952	
1968	3,119·2	41·5	3,159·6	663·8	12·7	218·9	299·2	133·0	639·9	499·3	108·2	32·4	42·1	Mar. 11	4
														1953	
														Sept. 17	3½
1966 April ...	2,873·2	27·2	2,899·0	493·4	11·7	96·5	277·1	108·1	483·1	408·1	49·5	25·6	28·1	1954	
May ...	2,871·3	41·6	2,911·5	483·8	12·2	98·2	265·6	107·9	459·2	385·6	47·8	25·9	42·5	May 13	3
June ...	2,922·2	38·2	2,959·0	485·0	12·9	98·1	263·5	110·5	464·0	355·4	82·5	26·1	39·0	1955	
														Jan. 27	3½
July ...	2,980·5	44·8	3,025·0	510·3	12·6	122·5	264·3	111·0	482·9	367·7	88·9	26·2	45·7	Feb. 24	4½
August	2,960·7	59·7	3,019·0	562·6	12·1	183·7	257·2	109·7	520·5	420·6	73·6	26·3	60·5	1956	
Sept. ...	2,904·7	58·1	2,961·7	587·8	13·2	197·6	262·5	114·5	547·4	480·6	39·8	26·9	59·0	Feb. 16	5½
														1957	
October	2,890·8	59·5	2,949·0	595·3	13·1	198·4	266·7	117·1	552·7	461·7	64·1	27·0	60·4	Feb. 7	5
Nov. ...	2,898·2	62·2	2,959·0	591·8	13·1	198·5	268·0	112·2	546·7	463·2	56·0	27·5	63·0	Sept. 19	7
Dec. ...	3,035·5	27·3	3,061·5	567·6	17·2	198·4	241·4	110·6	557·5	488·0	41·8	27·6	28·2	1958	
														Mar. 20	6
1967 January	2,905·6	44·7	2,949·0	569·0	12·4	200·0	242·7	113·8	541·7	428·3	86·0	27·4	45·5	May 22	5½
February	2,853·0	47·3	2,899·0	607·2	14·0	201·3	282·3	109·8	577·5	440·1	109·9	27·5	48·1	June 19	5
March ...	2,901·6	28·8	2,929·0	600·3	13·4	198·2	276·0	112·7	589·2	471·9	89·5	27·8	29·6	Aug. 14	4½
														Nov. 20	4
April ...	2,925·7	62·1	2,986·5	591·0	13·2	196·7	269·7	111·5	545·9	427·5	91·5	26·9	62·9	1960	
May ...	2,938·1	32·3	2,969·0	600·3	11·5	200·0	278·6	110·1	585·1	486·4	71·9	26·8	33·1	Jan. 21	5
June ...	2,963·2	37·1	2,999·0	595·6	12·0	202·2	273·6	107·9	575·8	465·3	82·6	28·0	37·9	June 23	6
														Oct. 27	5½
July ...	3,020·4	30·0	3,049·0	606·2	11·0	204·0	281·8	109·3	593·6	441·5	123·3	28·8	30·8	Dec. 8	5
August	3,022·4	48·0	3,069·0	596·3	11·3	207·3	263·4	114·3	566·0	443·0	93·7	29·3	48·7	1961	
Sept. ...	2,984·6	40·7	3,024·0	610·0	12·7	207·6	276·3	113·4	587·0	461·7	97·8	27·5	41·5	July 25	7
														Oct. 5	6½
October	2,969·4	31·0	2,999·0	616·5	12·8	208·3	283·7	111·8	602·7	439·8	135·8	27·1	31·8	Nov. 2	6
Nov. ...	3,010·9	40·3	3,049·0	634·8	13·1	211·5	289·7	120·5	612·5	444·4	140·1	28·0	40·2	1962	
Dec. ...	3,166·8	46·1	3,211·5	629·8	13·4	213·3	283·3	119·8	601·1	455·5	116·0	29·6	46·8	Mar. 8	5½
														Mar. 22	5
1968 January	3,038·7	51·7	3,089·0	644·2	12·3	216·0	295·9	119·9	610·0	470·4	108·9	30·7	52·4	Apr. 26	4½
February	3,011·4	39·0	3,049·0	649·3	12·8	218·2	289·0	129·3	628·1	439·7	157·1	31·2	39·7	1963	
March ...	3,036·9	46·6	3,086·5	657·9	12·5	214·7	302·7	128·0	629·2	418·9	178·9	31·4	47·2	Jan. 3	4
														1964	
April ...	3,105·9	32·0	3,136·5	647·0	12·3	216·4	288·0	130·4	632·4	482·4	117·7	32·3	32·6	Feb. 27	5
May ...	3,073·4	47·0	3,119·0	663·5	12·5	218·5	296·5	136·0	633·8	496·6	106·7	30·6	47·5	Nov. 23	7
June ...	3,117·9	32·5	3,149·0	659·3	12·5	216·0	298·6	132·3	644·3	529·9	82·2	32·2	33·0	1965	
														June 3	6
July ...	3,178·3	42·1	3,219·0	655·3	13·2	216·7	286·5	138·9	630·9	481·0	117·3	32·7	42·6	1966	
August	3,169·5	43·4	3,211·5	671·9	12·2	221·2	301·7	137·1	646·3	504·4	110·8	30·8	44·0	July 14	7
Sept. ...	3,145·8	54·6	3,199·0	676·5	14·2	221·6	303·6	137·4	640·1	513·5	94·7	31·8	55·2	1967	
														Jan. 26	6½
October	3,113·8	36·6	3,149·0	680·5	12·0	220·4	317·6	133·0	663·6	552·0	78·4	33·2	37·3	Mar. 16	6
Nov. ...	3,148·8	39·1	3,186·5	694·4	13·1	223·4	322·5	135·5	672·5	560·0	79·4	33·1	39·8	May 4	5½
Dec. ...	3,307·5	30·4	3,336·5	665·8	12·8	225·3	288·5	139·1	652·5	542·2	71·4	39·0	31·2	Oct. 19	6
														Nov. 9	6½
1969 January	3,186·2	44·2	3,229·0	667·3	15·6	226·6	282·4	142·7	640·5	524·4	73·0	43·1	45·0	Nov. 19	8
February	3,125·6	37·3	3,161·5	687·5	13·7	231·0	296·9	145·9	667·8	545·4	70·1	52·4	38·1	1968	
March ...	3,165·0	35·4	3,119·0	693·2	14·2	228·4	307·0	143·6	700·5	491·0	82·7	101·8	36·2	Mar. 21	7½
														Sept. 19 1969	7
														Feb. 27	8

(1) Issue Department assets excluded from the table (other securities, gold coin and bullion, and coin other than gold coin) were all small in the periods shown.
(2) Including government debt £11·0 million.
(3) Deposits called from the London clearing and Scottish banks, and not at their free disposal.
(4) Previously 2 per cent (since 30 June 1932).

Source: Bank of England

London clearing banks

TABLE 153

£ million

	Net deposits (2)	Deposits				Main assets						Seasonally adjusted estimates(1)	
		Total	Current accounts	Deposit accounts	Other accounts	Liquid assets(3)		Investments		Advances and other accounts(4)		Net deposits (2)	Advances and other accounts (4) (5)
						Total	Percentage of total deposits	Total	Percentage of total deposits	Total	Percentage of total deposits		
1963	7,409	7,971	4,486	2,781	704	2,535	31·8	1,244	15·6	3,880	48·7		
1964	7,891	8,550	4,836	2,922	791	2,589	30·3	1,220	14·3	4,328	50·6		
1965 Averages of monthly figures	8,316	8,989	4,869	3,292	829	2,763	30·7	1,087	12·1	4,653	51·8		
1966	8,675	9,376	4,955	3,536	885	2,908	31·0	1,137	12·1	4,732	50·5		
1967	9,024	9,772	5,084	3,769	919	2,990	30·6	1,341	13·7	4,725	48·3		
1968	9,645	10,431	5,334	4,177	920	3,182	30·5	1,375	13·2	5,075	48·6		
1966 October 19 ...	8,728	9,427	4,919	3,603	904	3,014	32·0	1,159	12·3	4,598	48·8	8,695	4,585
November 16 ...	8,689	9,421	4,892	3,620	908	3,006	31·9	1,163	12·3	4,562	48·4	8,710	4,575
December 14 ...	8,760	9,501	4,905	3,628	969	3,126	32·9	1,181	12·4	4,492	47·3	8,700	4,555
1967 January 18 ...	8,838	9,577	4,983	3,708	886	3,195	33·4	1,238	12·9	4,465	46·6	8,705	4,515
February 15 ...	8,639	9,364	4,821	3,660	883	2,814	30·1	1,312	14·0	4,569	48·8	8,755	4,520
March 15	8,621	9,353	4,840	3,647	867	2,756	29·5	1,283	13·7	4,639	49·6	8,770	4,535
April 19	8,833	9,553	4,978	3,699	876	2,922	30·6	1,294	13·5	4,671	48·9	8,855	4,525
May 17	8,849	9,600	5,006	3,713	880	2,919	30·4	1,340	14·0	4,637	48·3	8,890	4,540
June 21	8,960	9,694	5,042	3,724	929	2,921	30·1	1,354	14·0	4,727	48·8	8,890	4,560
July 19	9,142	9,867	5,121	3,784	961	2,988	30·3	1,363	13·8	4,824	48·9	8,995	4,680
August 16 ...	9,121	9,858	5,118	3,789	950	2,975	30·2	1,367	13·9	4,808	48·8	9,095	4,675(6)
September 20 ...	9,210	9,917	5,181	3,809	927	3,075	31·0	1,374	13·9	4,786	48·3	9,205	4,710
October 18 ...	9,329	10,086	5,303	3,854	929	3,126	31·0	1,376	13·6	4,832	47·9	9,305	4,755
November 15 ...	9,328	10,129	5,315	3,880	934	3,059	30·2	1,381	13·6	4,874	48·1	9,370	4,810
December 13 ...	9,412	10,262	5,298	3,963	1,001	3,127	30·5	1,405	13·7	4,862	47·4	9,365	4,845
1968 January 17 ...	9,511	10,368	5,347	4,084	937	3,245	31·3	1,403	13·5	4,873	47·0	9,385	4,845
February 21 ...	9,367	10,135	5,195	4,073	867	2,952	29·1	1,388	13·7	5,031	49·6	9,500	4,915
March 20	9,452	10,303	5,337	4,068	897	2,958	28·7	1,360	13·2	5,139	49·9	9,610	4,995
April 17	9,502	10,390	5,309	4,109	972	2,991	28·8	1,346	12·9	5,165	49·7	9,515	5,030
May 15	9,458	10,235	5,252	4,121	863	2,956	28·9	1,344	13·1	5,153	50·4	9,485	5,060
June 19	9,526	10,278	5,275	4,131	873	3,106	30·2	1,324	12·9	5,089	49·5	9,495	4,950(7)
July 17	9,724	10,493	5,327	4,230	935	3,168	30·2	1,322	12·6	5,219	49·7	9,550	5,060(7)
August 21... ...	9,771	10,534	5,343	4,234	958	3,286	31·2	1,350	12·8	5,111	48·5	9,735	4,980
September 18 ...	9,814	10,445	5,298	4,243	904	3,336	31·9	1,380	13·2	5,071	48·5	9,810	5,035
October 16 ...	9,841	10,584	5,404	4,270	911	3,388	32·0	1,420	13·4	5,004	47·3	9,830	4,985
November 20 ...	9,879	10,674	5,438	4,283	953	3,410	31·9	1,430	13·4	5,000	46·8	9,940	4,985
December 11 ...	9,898	10,736	5,487	4,273	976	3,385	31·5	1,432	13·3	5,039	46·9	9,870	5,100
1969 January 15 ...	10,013	10,835	5,485	4,383	966	3,476	32·1	1,427	13·2	5,084	46·9	9,895	5,115
February 19 ...	9,832	10,650	5,312	4,350	988	3,123	29·3	1,365	12·8	5,313	49·9	9,980	5,175
March 19 ...	9,696	10,528	5,224	4,350	954	3,095	29·4	1,232	11·7	5,340	50·7	9,860	5,145

(1) Figures supplied by the Bank of England and rounded to the nearest £5 million.
(2) Total deposits *less* (i) balances with, and cheques in course of collection on, other banks in the United Kingdom and the Republic of Ireland and (ii) items in transit between offices of the same bank.
(3) Comprising (i) Coin, notes and balances with Bank of England, etc. (excluding special deposits); (ii) Money at call and short notice; (iii) Bills discounted, which include re-financeable export credits.
(4) Excluding items in transit.
(5) Excluding advances to nationalised industries (including, from 28 July 1967, the British Steel Corporation).
(6) The figures are affected by the exclusion of advances to the nationalised steel companies (see footnote (5)).
(7) The sharp fall between May and June and sharp rise between June and July probably reflect distortion in the seasonal pattern over the half-year.

Source: Committee of London Clearing Bankers

Scottish banks

TABLE 154

£ million

	Net deposits (1)	Deposits: Total	Deposits: Current accounts	Deposits: Deposit accounts	Deposits: Other accounts	Scottish bank notes outstanding	Main assets: Liquid assets (2) (3)	Main assets: Special deposits with Bank of England (4)	Main assets: Investments	Main assets: Advances and other accounts (3)	Percentages of total deposits *plus* notes outstanding: Liquid assets (2) (3)	Special deposits with Bank of England (4)	Investments	Advances and other accounts (3)
1963	788·6	846·0	345·1	385·5	115·4	122·6	305·4	—	220·7	425·5	*31·5*	—	*22·8*	*44·0*
1964	828·2	891·6	372·6	392·4	126·6	125·3	312·0	—	228·3	454·1	*30·7*	—	*22·5*	*44·7*
1965 Averages of	862·7	931·2	384·1	411·4	135·7	126·8	333·5	3·0	188·8	507·6	*31·5*	*0·3*	*17·8*	*48·0*
1966 monthly	903·8	977·2	397·2	433·2	146·8	130·2	354·9	7·1	197·1	514·1	*32·0*	*0·6*	*17·8*	*46·4*
1967 figures	944·0	1,024·7	411·3	454·1	159·4	132·8	367·5	10·2	234·3	503·0	*31·8*	*0·9*	*20·2*	*43·5*
1968	1,018·1	1,105·8	445·8	488·0	172·0	139·2	393·0	11·0	271·7	519·7	*31·6*	*0·9*	*21·8*	*41·7*
1966 July 20 ...	907·4	971·3	392·2	432·5	146·7	135·7	346·6	7·4	194·1	532·9	*31·3*	*0·7*	*17·5*	*48·1*
Aug. 17...	905·0	973·6	396·2	430·4	147·0	127·1	347·6	9·6	194·2	518·5	*31·6*	*0·9*	*17·6*	*47·1*
Sept. 21...	889·9	965·3	391·1	428·4	145·8	126·9	352·3	9·7	194·2	507·2	*32·3*	*0·9*	*17·8*	*46·4*
Oct. 19 ...	908·8	981·2	394·8	435·1	151·2	127·6	357·6	9·7	200·4	506·2	*32·3*	*0·9*	*18·1*	*45·7*
Nov. 16...	916·7	1,003·8	408·6	438·8	156·3	129·2	361·5	9·8	208·9	503·8	*31·9*	*0·9*	*18·4*	*44·5*
Dec. 14 ...	907·7	981·7	393·1	438·7	149·9	132·1	364·8	10·1	208·9	493·8	*32·8*	*0·9*	*18·8*	*44·3*
1967 Jan. 18 ...	918·5	998·2	400·9	437·8	159·5	126·6	369·1	9·9	214·7	489·8	*32·8*	*0·9*	*19·1*	*43·5*
Feb. 15 ...	902·3	990·0	387·3	434·3	168·4	129·6	352·7	9·9	219·9	487·7	*31·5*	*0·9*	*19·6*	*43·6*
March 15	888·5	967·0	383·6	437·1	146·3	130·9	328·7	10·0	222·7	496·6	*29·9*	*0·9*	*20·3*	*45·2*
April 19	912·2	990·5	394·0	442·1	154·4	133·6	348·0	9·7	222·7	504·1	*31·0*	*0·9*	*19·8*	*44·8*
May 17 ...	944·2	1,032·4	415·4	448·1	168·9	135·6	374·4	9·9	228·2	505·5	*32·0*	*0·8*	*19·5*	*43·3*
June 21 ...	947·4	1,028·7	406·5	459·0	163·2	135·5	371·7	10·3	231·7	507·1	*31·9*	*0·9*	*19·9*	*43·5*
July 19 ...	949·7	1,021·7	410·4	457·1	154·2	137·5	377·3	10·3	226·7	510·6	*32·5*	*0·9*	*19·6*	*44·0*
Aug. 16...	956·1	1,030·6	413·7	461·0	155·9	129·5	372·7	10·3	239·7	500·5	*32·1*	*0·9*	*20·7*	*43·1*
Sept. 20...	956·9	1,031·0	413·5	459·8	157·7	130·7	358·1	10·3	247·7	509·2	*30·8*	*0·9*	*21·3*	*43·8*
Oct. 18...	969·0	1,051·4	426·0	465·5	159·9	131·9	379·7	10·3	249·1	501·1	*32·1*	*0·9*	*21·1*	*42·3*
Nov. 15...	993·6	1,085·5	447·8	473·0	164·7	133·8	385·1	10·5	252·5	519·1	*31·6*	*0·9*	*20·7*	*42·6*
Dec. 13...	989·4	1,069·8	436·6	474·0	159·2	138·0	392·7	10·8	256·0	505·1	*32·5*	*0·9*	*21·2*	*41·8*
1968 Jan. 17 ...	985·5	1,082·5	434·8	476·2	171·5	132·9	390·4	10·7	255·3	499·6	*32·1*	*0·9*	*21·0*	*41·1*
Feb. 21	976·4	1,068·2	425·7	473·3	169·1	134·7	369·2	10·7	256·3	512·3	*30·7*	*0·9*	*21·3*	*42·6*
March 20	987·4	1,098·3	439·3	478·6	180·3	137·0	358·7	10·7	252·6	540·3	*29·0*	*0·9*	*20·4*	*43·7*
April 17 ..	999·6	1,079·2	428·2	477·2	173·8	140·9	372·8	11·0	251·6	542·8	*30·6*	*0·9*	*20·6*	*44·5*
May 15 ...	1,010·6	1,122·1	456·7	480·8	184·6	142·6	394·9	10·9	254·3	530·6	*31·2*	*0·9*	*20·1*	*42·0*
June 19...	1,004·2	1,091·6	437·7	486·8	167·0	142·6	388·2	11·2	265·5	519·3	*31·5*	*0·9*	*21·5*	*42·1*
July 17 ...	1,020·2	1,096·7	444·8	489·3	162·6	145·5	391·1	11·0	268·4	532·4	*31·5*	*0·9*	*21·6*	*42·9*
Aug. 21...	1,018·0	1,104·8	447·8	488·8	168·2	136·2	393·6	11·0	278·4	508·2	*31·7*	*0·9*	*22·4*	*41·0*
Sept. 18...	1,029·9	1,092·8	442·8	488·7	161·3	137·8	398·5	11·1	281·6	513·3	*32·4*	*0·9*	*22·9*	*41·7*
Oct. 16...	1,048·9	1,126·7	453·6	504·0	169·1	138·2	418·9	10·9	292·3	503·7	*33·1*	*0·9*	*23·1*	*39·8*
Nov. 20...	1,078·9	1,169·3	475·9	506·7	186·7	139·3	426·2	11·3	304·5	515·6	*32·6*	*0·9*	*23·3*	*39·4*
Dec. 11...	1,057·4	1,137·7	462·3	505·2	170·2	143·3	413·5	11·7	299·1	518·6	*32·3*	*0·9*	*23·3*	*40·5*
1969 Jan. 15 ...	1,085·7	1,181·7	482·5	507·7	191·6	137·6	435·8	11·4	296·9	521·4	*33·0*	*0·9*	*22·5*	*39·5*
Feb. 19	1,056·0	1,156·2	454·2	509·0	193·0	140·7	396·6	11·7	295·4	534·7	*30·6*	*0·9*	*22·8*	*41·2*
March 19	1,040·3	1,137·8	451·7	505·6	180·4	143·0	383·6	11·6	292·8	537·1	*29·9*	*0·9*	*22·9*	*41·9*

(1) Total deposits *less* items in transit between offices of the same bank.
(2) Comprising (i) Coin, notes and balances with Bank of England (excluding special deposits); (ii) Balances with other banks etc.; (iii) Money at call and short notice; (iv) Bills discounted.
(3) Liquid assets include, and Advances exclude, re-financeable export credits.
(4) Deposits called under the Special Deposits Scheme and not at the banks' free disposal.

Source: Committee of Scottish Bank General Managers

Analysis of bank advances(1)(2)

Amounts outstanding

TABLE 155 — £ million

	Total	Manufacturing								Other production		
		Food, drink, and tobacco	Chemicals and allied industries	Metal manufacture	Electrical engineering	Other engineering and metal goods	Shipbuilding	Vehicles	Textiles, leather and clothing	Other manufacturing	Agriculture, forestry and fishing	Mining and quarrying	Construction
Great Britain													
1967	7,535·7	268·0	216·3	189·1	247·1	480·4	76·0	277·7	236·6	312·9	491·5	84·0	359·6
1968	8,841·3	292·6	208·6	159·6	305·5	516·0	98·9	266·2	251·1	335·4	514·6	94·6	370·7
1967 November	7,860·1	292·6	217·4	217·2	254·6	482·3	84·3	292·5	223·2	320·5	510·6	85·3	359·2
1968 February(4)	8,483·6	285·0	214·7	192·0	284·9	504·1	92·9	270·5	234·2	327·3	489·9	91·2	370·8
May	8,786·7	310·9	211·4	142·1	303·8	499·1	93·6	293·6	255·0	333·4	507·5	101·0	373·0
August	8,952·6	285·0	206·1	140·5	319·8	522·0	98·7	278·5	276·0	341·8	527·7	92·6	369·3
November	9,142·2	289·6	202·2	163·8	313·6	538·9	110·4	222·2	239·1	338·9	533·4	93·4	369·6
1969 February	9,904·6	305·5	241·1	195·0	329·3	578·4	129·3	312·9	277·1	382·5	527·6	117·8	389·2
London clearing banks													
1967	4,718·4	175·1	104·3	151·1	191·5	375·9	47·1	198·3	197·0	241·8	406·0	26·4	296·9
1968	5,067·7	206·3	106·2	123·9	237·5	399·9	68·5	199·0	207·5	243·8	429·0	24·4	304·4
1967 November	4,874·4	188·1	110·8	160·7	191·5	376·5	53·4	218·3	188·9	241·5	423·5	27·1	294·6
1968 February	5,030·1	193·5	110·0	142·5	221·7	389·4	61·1	218·4	194·5	241·6	405·8	24·9	303·4
May	5,143·4	222·5	109·6	114·8	239·3	388·0	61·5	217·6	210·5	238·8	423·8	24·8	307·5
August	5,107·9	204·2	102·3	109·4	250·5	404·9	69·9	201·0	229·7	253·5	440·3	25·4	302·2
November	4,989·2	204·9	102·8	128·7	238·3	417·4	81·4	158·9	195·3	241·1	446·1	22·6	304·6
1969 February	5,292·4	210·9	108·6	160·1	252·9	448·3	97·2	226·0	214·6	269·0	439·4	24·2	321·7
Scottish banks													
1967	502·8	41·6	16·0	9·4	9·1	33·1	18·0	4·0	16·6	23·4	79·3	3·6	29·1
1968	515·7	36·0	12·1	9·1	8·5	35·6	18·2	3·4	15·3	25·0	77·3	1·8	28·9
1967 November	520·1	49·7	13·9	12·6	9·7	34·4	19·4	3·6	14·7	23·1	80·5	4·1	29·3
1968 February	512·0	36·8	13·1	10·8	8·6	32·6	20·1	3·0	15·1	23·5	76·9	3·6	31·0
May	530·9	39·7	15·5	7·4	8·8	33·4	18·0	3·6	16·6	25·7	75·4	1·3	30·9
August	505·4	31·7	11·0	7·6	8·2	36·5	17·6	3·4	15·4	24·6	78·4	1·3	27·4
November	514·4	35·7	8·7	10·6	8·5	40·0	16·9	3·5	14·2	26·1	78·3	1·1	26·3
1969 February	534·2	32·2	17·2	12·3	7·6	42·6	23·3	4·2	19·5	26·3	78·2	1·1	28·0
Other banks(5)													
1967	2,314·6	51·4	96·0	28·6	46·5	71·4	10·9	75·5	23·1	47·8	6·2	53·9	33·6
1968	3,258·0	50·4	90·4	26·7	59·6	80·5	12·3	63·9	28·3	66·6	8·4	68·3	37·4
1967 November	2,465·6	54·8	92·7	43·9	53·4	71·4	11·5	70·6	19·6	55·9	6·6	54·1	35·3
1968 February	2,941·5	54·7	91·6	38·7	54·6	82·1	11·7	49·1	24·6	62·2	7·2	62·7	36·4
May	3,1129·4	48·7	86·3	19·9	55·7	77·7	14·1	72·4	27·9	68·9	8·3	74·9	34·6
August	3,3 3 ·3	49·1	92·8	23·5	61·1	80·6	11·2	74·1	30·9	63·7	9·0	65·9	39·7
November	3,63 ·6	49·0	90·7	24·5	66·8	81·5	12·1	59·8	29·6	71·7	9·0	69·7	38·7
1969 February	4,078·0	62·4	115·3	22·6	68·8	87·5	8·8	82·7	43·0	87·2	10·0	92·5	39·5
Northern Ireland													
1968	118·6	4·5	(6)			2·4			6·6	3·9	18·2	0·8	5·4
1968 February	109·9	5·4	(6)			1·9			5·8	3·1	17·6	0·8	5·0
May	116·1	3·6	(6)			2·4			6·3	4·1	18·1	0·8	5·2
August	121·8	4·0	(6)			2·6			7·2	4·0	18·8	0·9	5·5
November	126·7	5·0	(6)			2·6			7·0	4·2	18·2	0·8	5·8
1969 February													

(1) Although some headings in the new classification are the same as those in the analysis published previously by the British Bankers' Association (last published in February 1968 issue) the contents of most of these headings are by no means identical. This is mainly due to differences of coverage which result from basing the new analysis on the *Standard Industrial Classification*.

(2) The annual figures are averages of the figures for February, May, August and November.

Source: Bank of England

Analysis of bank advances(1)(2)

Amounts outstanding

TABLE 155 (*continued*) £ million

	Financial				Services						Personal		
	Hire purchase finance companies (3)	Property companies	United Kingdom banks (3)	Other financial	Transport and communication	Public utilities and national government	Local government (3)	Retail distribution	Other distribution	Professional, scientific and miscellaneous	House purchase	Other personal	Overseas residents (including banks overseas) (3)
Great Britain													
1967	118·0	336·9	22·8	299·3	161·3	66·9	96·4	353·7	368·4	478·9	337·3	545·1	1,111·8
1968	136·2	346·0	41·0	411·3	175·4	73·4	121·1	367·9	420·2	548·7	363·0	613·1	1,810·5
1967 November ...	114·3	342·6	27·0	317·8	173·4	91·5	109·3	346·2	377·8	480·0	354·6	606·8	1,179·1
1968 February(4) ...	134·4	348·3	30·4	388·5	181·4	71·7	161·2	343·3	413·8	528·5	354·2	613·2	1,557·2
May	150·3	348·0	39·3	408·8	180·2	73·5	185·6	378·9	402·0	555·2	355·4	603·1	1,682·0
August	131·1	353·9	43·7	417·5	168·7	70·2	76·5	378·7	435·6	550·5	368·4	619·6	1,880·2
November ...	128·9	333·6	50·7	430·4	171·3	78·2	60·9	370·6	429·3	560·7	373·8	616·3	2,122·4
1969 February	131·5	323·3	54·6	438·0	181·0	84·5	81·7	377·4	462·3	624·1	380·0	598·2	2,382·3
London clearing banks													
1967	76·7	237·7	6·5	133·8	106·3	56·8	33·0	302·0	218·4	401·4	289·5	414·2	31·0
1968	90·3	233·6	10·9	135·1	110·8	56·1	64·0	315·8	251·5	435·6	307·2	469·2	37·5
1967 November ...	75·1	241·9	7·5	125·5	116·0	78·2	37·8	296·0	226·4	401·4	303·5	453·5	36·7
1968 February	93·6	239·9	8·9	141·4	117·9	57·9	74·8	296·2	250·3	437·0	302·6	462·6	40·2
May	103·0	233·9	14·6	145·9	111·6	59·2	101·2	326·8	238·3	445·9	301·7	467·8	34·8
August	86·4	240·0	9·8	129·0	107·2	55·5	44·2	324·6	264·3	429·2	310·4	476·7	37·3
November ...	78·3	220·5	10·2	124·2	106·4	51·6	35·9	315·6	252·9	430·3	314·0	469·5	37·7
1969 February	83·5	208·4	9·8	125·8	109·8	72·2	47·4	315·4	263·4	473·0	318·8	455·0	37·0
Scottish banks													
1967	12·4	16·7	1·8	21·5	16·8	7·5	5·2	22·8	24·3	36·5	10·6	40·9	2·7
1968	13·7	16·0	2·8	28·3	16·8	8·0	12·9	23·6	24·3	40·4	11·5	42·7	3·2
1967 November ...	12·4	16·0	2·2	21·3	18·9	10·8	6·4	22·4	23·0	35·8	11·1	42·5	2·3
1968 February	12·9	15·6	2·7	28·0	18·5	8·1	11·3	21·7	24·5	38·9	10·5	42·0	2·2
May	13·9	16·6	2·8	28·3	18·3	6·2	19·4	24·9	23·6	42·7	11·1	42·6	4·2
August	14·1	16·9	2·9	31·4	13·4	8·8	10·7	22·9	24·6	39·4	11·8	42·6	2·8
November ...	13·7	15·0	2·6	27·3	16·9	9·0	10·1	25·0	24·5	40·7	12·6	43·6	3·5
1969 February	14·9	14·2	3·1	20·2	18·2	6·8	10·1	25·4	26·4	44·6	12·3	43·5	2·0
Other banks(5)													
1967	28·9	82·5	14·6	144·0	38·2	2·6	58·3	28·9	125·7	40·9	37·2	90·1	1,078·1
1968	32·2	96·4	27·4	247·4	47·9	9·3	44·2	28·5	144·4	72·7	44·3	101·2	1,769·8
1967 November ...	26·8	84·7	17·3	171·0	38·5	2·5	65·1	27·8	128·4	42·8	40·0	110·8	1,140·1
1968 February	27·9	92·8	18·8	219·1	45·0	5·7	75·1	25·4	139·0	52·6	41·1	108·6	1,514·8
May	33·4	97·5	21·9	234·6	50·3	8·1	65·0	27·2	140·1	66·6	42·6	92·7	1,643·0
August	30·6	97·0	31·0	257·1	48·1	5·9	21·6	31·2	146·7	81·9	46·2	100·3	1,840·1
November ...	36·9	98·1	37·9	278·9	48·0	17·6	14·9	30·0	151·9	89·7	47·2	103·2	2,081·2
1969 February	33·1	100·7	41·7	292·0	53·0	5·5	24·2	36·6	172·5	106·5	48·9	99·7	2,343·3
Northern Ireland													
1968	0·9	2·5	1·8		3·2		4·5	15·4	8·6	21·4	18·7		—
1968 February	0·7	2·0	1·7		2·8		4·0	14·4	7·4	20·0	17·3		—
May	0·9	2·4	2·0		3·9		3·0	15·6	8·6	21·1	18·1		—
August	1·0	2·6	1·7		2·2		5·0	15·6	9·1	22·5	19·1		—
November ...	1·1	2·8	1·8		3·8		6·1	16·0	9·3	21·8	20·4		—
1969 February													

(3) Excluding funds placed through the specialised financial markets.

(4) The February 1968 figures are affected by the revaluation of foreign currency advances after 18 November 1967, and by the inclusion of several new contributors. Together, these accounted for some £260 million of the increase over the quarter in total advances (U.K. residents+£60 million and overseas residents+£200 million).

(5) Other banks includes accepting houses, overseas banks and other domestic banks.

(6) Chemicals and allied industries included in Other manufacturing.

Source: Bank of England

Bank clearings and currency circulation

TABLE 156 — £ million

	Bank clearings(1)				Notes and coin outstanding					Average estimated currency in circulation with the public(5)	
	Credit clearing	Debit clearing			Total	Bank of England notes(2)	Scottish bank notes(3)	Northern Ireland bank notes(3)	Estimated coin(4)		
	Bankers' Clearing House	Total	Bankers' Clearing House	Provincial clearing houses							
	Average of working days										*Index 1954=100*
1963	22·6	994·0	984·8	9·18	2,783	2,440·7	126·1	7·4	209	2,210	*142·5*
1964	25·6	1,164·5	1,155·0	9·50	2,956	2,602·2	128·8	7·2	217	2,332	*150·4*
1965	28·3	1,340·6	1,330·8	9·82	3,142	2,775·8	130·3	7·4	228	2,483	*160·1*
1966	30·9	1,483·6	1,473·1	10·47	3,323	2,936·9	133·8	7·8	244	2,637	*170·0*
1967	33·3	1,842·2	1,831·6	10·51	3,411	3,012·0	136·1	8·9	254	2,700	*174·1*
1968	38·0	1,961·6	1,959·3	2·31	3,567	3,160·7	142·0	10·9	254	2,827	*182·3*
1966 April ...	31·0	1,457·2	1,447·0	10·28	3,286	2,900·4	136·9	7·7	241	2,622	*169·1*
May	32·0	1,436·2	1,425·0	11·20	3,300	2,912·9	137·3	8·0	242	2,619	*168·9*
June... ...	31·3	1,463·8	1,453·8	10·04	3,351	2,960·4	138·0	8·3	244	2,657	*171·3*
July	29·6	1,531·5	1,521·6	9·92	3,417	3,025·4	139·1	8·0	244	2,702	*174·2*
August ...	30·5	1,373·4	1,363·3	10·16	3,408	3,020·4	135·0	7·8	245	2,682	*172·9*
September ...	29·9	1,466·0	1,456·7	9·27	3,347	2,962·9	130·0	7·6	246	2,634	*169·8*
October ...	30·1	1,627·8	1,618·2	9·63	3,336	2,950·4	131·3	7·6	247	2,629	*169·5*
November ...	32·2	1,464·8	1,454·3	10·43	3,349	2,960·4	132·5	8·1	248	2,644	*170·5*
December ...	34·2	1,608·4	1,597·8	10·61	3,457	3,062·9	134·9	7·8	250	2,718	*175·3*
1967 January ...	31·3	1,794·2	1,783·3	10·93	3,343	2,950·4	133·8	7·8	251	2,612	*168·4*
February ...	32·0	1,838·2	1,827·0	11·25	3,293	2,900·4	131·5	8·7	252	2,614	*168·5*
March ...	33·7	1,856·3	1,844·8	11·59	3,325	2,930·4	133·9	8·8	252	2,662	*171·6*
April ...	31·5	1,853·2	1,842·6	10·65	3,387	2,987·9	137·1	8·9	253	2,666	*171·9*
May	33·9	1,793·9	1,782·7	11·14	3,371	2,970·4	138·1	8·8	254	2,686	*173·2*
June... ...	32·7	1,763·3	1,753·2	10·15	3,403	3,000·4	139·4	8·9	254	2,695	*173·8*
July	32·6	1,825·1	1,815·3	9·79	3,454	3,050·4	140·4	9·0	254	2,736	*176·4*
August ...	32·8	1,811·1	1,801·0	10·12	3,467	3,070·4	132·5	8·8	255	2,737	*176·5*
September ...	30·9	1,642·9	1,634·4	8·49	3,423	3,025·4	133·4	8·7	255	2,706	*174·5*
October ...	34·7	1,842·9	1,833·0	9·89	3,400	3,000·4	134·8	8·7	256	2,712	*174·9*
November ...	35·6	2,172·3	2,160·9	11·42	3,455	3,051·2	137·0	9·3	257	2,740	*176·7*
December ...	38·3	1,932·8	1,922·0	10·84	3,622	3,212·9	141·0	9·7	258	2,839	*183·0*
1968 January ...	34·5	1,889·1	1,883·7	5·47	3,496	3,090·4	137·1	9·9	259	2,747	*177·1*
February ...	35·5	2,029·2	2,027·2	2·00	3,457	3,050·4	137·6	10·1	259	2,762	*178·1*
March ...	38·7	2,176·4	2,174·4	2·00	3,493	3,083·4	139·6	10·2	260	2,781	*179·3*
April ...	40·2	2,048·6	2,046·7	1·96	3,556	3,137·9	143·2	10·4	264	2,829	*182·6*
May	37·6	1,882·4	1,880·3	2·07	3,539	3,120·4	143·1	10·4	265	2,807	*181·1*
June... ...	36·3	1,752·1	1,750·2	1·92	3,572	3,150·4	145·2	10·8	266	2,835	*183·0*
July	39·4	1,981·4	1,979·4	2·00	3,646	3,220·4	147·5	11·1	267	2,893	*186·5*
August ...	34·4	1,909·5	1,907·5	1·95	3,632	3,212·9	139·5	11·4	268	2,871	*185·1*
September ...	38·2	1,930·9	1,929·0	1·88	3,584	3,200·4	140·2	11·4	232(6)	2,815	*181·5*
October ...	39·4	1,968·1	1,966·2	1·93	3,536	3,150·4	140·7	11·6	233	2,811	*181·2*
November ...	38·3	1,933·5	1,931·5	2·00	3,577	3,187·9	142·8	11·9	235	2,828	*182·3*
December ...	44·8	2,059·8	2,057·5	2·29	3,735	3,337·9	146·2	12·5	238	2,947	*190·0*
1969 January ...	39·5	2,151·4	2,149·3	2·11	3,628	3,230·4	142·9	12·6	242	2,826	*182·2*
February ...	41·1	2,305·4	2,303·3	2·13	3,564	3,162·9	142·5	12·7	246	2,841	*183·2*
March ...	41·4	2,353·1	2,351·3	1·85	3,609	3,200·4	145·3	12·9	250	2,870	*185·0*

(1) Figures are not strictly comparable throughout owing to changes in the composition of the clearings. From 12 January 1968 provincial clearings, with the exception of the afternoon clearing at Liverpool, were abolished and transferred to General clearing.
(2) Average of Wednesdays. Includes Bank of England notes held by the Scottish and Northern Ireland banks as cover for their note issues in excess of the authorised circulation.
(3) Months: average of Saturdays in the consecutive four-week periods as published in *The London Gazette* or in *The Belfast Gazette*, with as close a correspondence as possible to the calendar months. Years: average of the thirteen published figures.
(4) Excluding coin in the Bank of England, Issue Department.
(5) Total notes and coin outstanding, *less* notes and coin held by the Bank of England, Banking Department, and by the London clearing banks, Scottish banks and Northern Ireland banks.
(6) Revised estimates.

Sources: Bank of England
Bankers' Clearing House

Discount market

TABLE 157

£ million

	Assets					Borrowed funds(1)						
	Total	Treasury bills	Commercial and other sterling bills	British government securities (2)	Other assets	Total	Bank of England, Banking Department	London clearing banks	Scottish banks	Other deposit banks	Accepting houses, overseas banks and other banks	Other sources
1965 At end of year	1,455	484	339	500	132	1,381	34	849	124	21	242	111
1966 At end of year	1,565	424	404	542	195	1,484	82	978	94	11	201	119
1967 At end of year	1,747	548	437	544	218	1,662	116	1,076	102	21	218	130
1968 At end of year	1,663	471	560	306	326	1,573	—	1,132	100	15(3)	204	121
1966 March 31	1,310	400	345	445	121	1,232	—	769	93	25	231	113
June 30	1,237	321	346	415	155	1,156	66	650	87	20	247	87
Sept. 30	1,302	333	358	456	155	1,219	5	822	78	22	193	98
Dec. 31	1,565	424	404	542	195	1,484	82	978	94	11	201	119
1967 March 31	1,444	219	379	678	168	1,361	47	857	74	25	226	133
June 30	1,428	436	317	498	177	1,346	120	616	77	29	291	214
Sept. 30	1,588	564	368	452	204	1,499	39	913	95	34	275	143
Dec. 31	1,747	548	437	544	218	1,662	116	1,076	102	21	218	130
1968 March 31	1,459	255	414	573	217	1,368	210	817	67	21	154	98
June 30	1,383	287	509	378	208	1,297	161	762	75	17	158	124
Sept. 30	1,563	261	500	521	282	1,466	31	1,044	95	12	161	123
Dec. 31	1,663	471	560	306	326	1,573	—	1,132	100	15(3)	204	121

(1) Excluding capital and reserves. (2) At nominal values. Including government guaranteed securities.
(3) From December 1968 includes the National Giro.

Source: London Discount Market Association

Hire purchase and other instalment credit

Great Britain

TABLE 158

Finance houses and durable goods shops

£ million

	Index numbers of new hire purchase and other instalment credit business		Hire purchase and other credit instalments outstanding			
				Owing directly to		
	Weekly average value of sales of durable goods shops	Credit extended by finance houses direct to hirers per month	Total outstanding	Durable goods shops and department stores	Finance houses	Other instalment credit retailers(1)
	1961 = 100		End of period			
1964	116	124	1,280	361	754	165
1965	112	127	1,386	360	836	190
1966	93	108	1,261	307	756	198
1967	94	120	1,226	276	742	208
1968	102	124	1,269	281	766	222
1968 January	104	124	1,215	275	744	196
February	112	134	1,219	275	753	191
March	117*	160	1,230	275	766	189
April	83	120	1,231	273	768	190
May	88	140	1,234	273	773	188
June	87*	116	1,229	268	774	187
July	94	128	1,226	266	778	182
August	93	130	1,227	265	783	179
September	100*	108	1,226	266	781	179
October	115	129	1,236	270	781	185
November	116	111	1,254	276	781	197
December	110*	84	1,269	281	766	222
1969 January	88	102	1,246	276	759	211
February	87	104	1,236	273	757	206
March						

(1) Comprising general stores (other than department stores), general mail order houses and co-operative non-durable goods departments.
* Average of five weeks.

Source: Board of Trade

National savings

TABLE 159

£ million

	Total outstanding (end of period)	National savings certificates					Defence bonds, national development bonds and British savings bonds(1)			Premium savings bonds		
		Purchases	Repayments		Amount remaining invested (end of period)		Purchases	Repayments	Amount remaining invested (end of period)	Purchases	Repayments	Amount remaining invested (end of period)
			Principal	Accrued interest	Principal	Accrued interest (2)						
1965	8,363·3	122·5	246·2	92·8	1,970·2	629·1	96·9	107·5	1,205·6	92·8	40·3	529·9
1966	8,333·8	359·3	349·2	139·1	1,980·3	586·5	84·1	225·7	1,064·0	90·4	45·2	575·1
1967	8,464·4	324·0	262·5	107·6	2,041·9	575·7	92·9	175·8	981·0	96·8	49·3	622·6
1968	8,543·2	248·2	259·5	104·2	2,030·5	571·6	80·7	143·9	917·3	118·1	50·6	690·1
1968 January...	8,498·6	18·5	18·6	7·2	2,041·7	576·7	4·0	5·5	979·5	8·3	4·7	626·2
February	8,517·8	19·1	22·1	9·1	2,038·7	575·8	3·2	6·2	976·4	7·5	4·9	628·8
March ...	8,535·5	24·3	22·7	9·4	2,040·3	574·6	2·1	6·4	972·1	10·0	4·8	634·0
April ...	8,560·6	37·9	27·4	11·6	2,050·8	571·3	10·6	16·2	966·6	9·4	3·6	639·8
May ...	8,557·5	29·4	28·5	11·6	2,051·8	568·0	12·6	13·1	966·1	8·9	4·9	643·8
June ...	8,537·1	18·8	18·3	7·2	2,052·3	569·0	8·7	33·0	941·8	6·6	4·1	646·3
July ...	8,518·4	17·4	20·4	8·0	2,049·3	569·5	8·1	9·4	940·3	7·7	5·1	648·9
August ...	8,514·0	20·0	24·3	9·6	2,045·0	568·3	9·0	11·9	937·2	11·2	4·7	655·4
September	8,540·2	15·7	18·2	7·2	2,042·5	569·5	6·8	8·0	936·2	13·4	3·2	665·6
October	8,580·7	16·6	19·2	7·7	2,039·9	570·3	5·9	7·5	934·4	13·8	3·5	675·9
November	8,575·9	19·5	24·2	9·7	2,035·2	569·2	5·9	8·3	931·9	11·2	3·6	683·5
December	8,543·2	11·0	15·6	6·0	2,030·5	571·6	3·8	18·4	917·3	10·1	3·5	690·1
1969 January	8,575·6	18·6	23·3	9·3	2,025·9	571·1	5·4	6·9	915·7	13·7	4·3	699·3
February	8,599·5	14·5	20·7	8·2	2,019·7	571·3	3·9	7·9	911·7	10·8	3·8	706·5
March(5)	8,615·2	18·0	25·7	10·6	2,012·0	569·9	4·9	10·7	905·9	16·8	5·1	718·2

	Post Office Savings Bank						Trustee savings banks						Other securities on the Post Office register outstanding at end of period(4)
	Ordinary accounts			Investment accounts			Ordinary departments			Special investment departments			
	Deposits	Withdrawals	Balance (end of period)(3)	Deposits	Withdrawals	Balance (end of period)(3)	Deposits	Withdrawals	Balance (end of period)(3)	Deposits	Withdrawals	Balance (end of period)(3)	
1965 ...	572·9	609·4	1,821·7				1,157·6	1,146·6	1,033·8	244·9	186·9	996·5	176·5
1966 ...	556·3	682·0	1,740·9	53·1	0·6	53·3	1,365·1	1,382·3	1,041·0	292·5	230·9	1,109·9	182·8
1967 ...	505·3	618·2	1,667·7	67·1	9·3	115·7	1,383·1	1,392·1	1,055·9	291·1	242·7	1,215·9	188·0
1968 ...	477·0	598·3	1,589·3	85·2	20·3	189·9	1,486·4	1,513·1	1,053·6	305·9	280·5	1,311·4	189·5
1968 January	46·7	45·0	1,672·8	7·9	1·0	123·2	135·0	130·5	1,062·4	32·6	27·0	1,227·2	188·9
Feb. ...	42·9	50·1	1,669·1	10·4	1·7	132·5	112·9	107·6	1,069·7	25·5	21·4	1,236·8	190·0
March	46·1	54·3	1,664·2	8·3	1·5	140·2	117·7	113·6	1,075·8	23·9	22·3	1,244·0	190·3
April...	36·5	47·8	1,659·7	7·1	1·6	146·5	123·9	118·8	1,082·9	24·8	21·7	1,252·7	190·3
May ...	40·2	56·7	1,646·5	6·8	1·7	152·3	124·1	130·3	1,078·7	25·3	24·0	1,259·9	190·4
June ...	37·4	48·6	1,638·6	5·4	1·7	156·7	132·9	138·5	1,075·1	22·5	21·6	1,266·7	190·6
July ...	40·5	58·4	1,623·9	6·2	2·0	161·6	126·5	141·8	1,061·7	24·1	23·9	1,272·8	190·4
August	42·5	54·0	1,615·6	6·1	1·9	166·6	120·6	129·1	1,055·1	24·2	22·2	1,280·7	190·1
Sept ...	33·8	39·9	1,612·8	5·4	1·7	171·1	115·7	110·8	1,062·0	23·8	20·2	1,290·3	190·2
Oct. ...	44·3	47·0	1,613·3	8·9	1·9	179·0	122·1	112·2	1,073·8	25·6	18·5	1,303·4	190·7
Nov. ...	35·3	49·1	1,602·7	7·6	2·1	185·4	126·7	131·5	1,071·7	28·0	29·8	1,307·1	189·2
Dec. ...	30·8	47·4	1,589·3	5·1	1·5	189·9	128·3	148·4	1,053·6	25·6	27·9	1,311·4	189·5
1969 January	44·8	42·9	1,594·4	8·1	1·4	197·7	122·4	119·1	1,058·8	28·4	23·7	1,322·8	189·7
Feb.	36·1	41·1	1,592·6	7·4	2·4	203·7	118·2	106·3	1,072·7	23·0	20·6	1,331·8	189·5
March(5)	43·8	53·3	1,586·9	8·9	2·8	211·1	148·7	140·9	1,081·2	29·0	28·6	1,340·5	189·5

(1) National development bonds were replaced by British savings bonds on 1 April 1968.
(2) Including estimated accrued interest.
(3) Including accrued interest to date.
(4) Nominal value held on behalf of depositors (Post Office and trustee savings banks section).
(5) Provisional.

Source: National Savings Committee

TABLE 160

Security prices and yields

	British government securities					Industrial securities					
	Calculated gross redemption yields(1)(2)			2½% Consols(3)		F.T.–Actuaries share indices(4) 10 April 1962=100					
						Debenture and loan stocks		Commercial and industrial preference stocks		Industrial ordinary (500 shares)	
	Short-dated (5 years)	Medium-dated (10 years)	Long-dated (20 years)	Net price	Flat yield	Price index	Redemption yield(5)	Price index	Average yield	Price index	Dividend yield
1963	4·83	5·17	5·43	44·8	5·58	110·37	..	110·61	6·47	106·31	4·40
1964	5·54	5·70	5·98	41·5	6·03	105·56	..	103·23	6·93	113·37	4·63
1965	6·57	6·55	6·56	39·0	6·42	99·35	7·07	103·21	6·93	106·69	5·54
1966	6·77	6·87	6·94	36·7	6·80	92·62	7·70	110·12	7·15	107·59	5·67
1967	6·66	6·70	6·80	37·4	6·69	94·07	7·56	103·63	6·92	114·92	5·16
1968	7·59	7·51	7·55	33·8	7·39	87·60	8·24	100·50	7·25	162·38	3·69
1966 October	6·91	6·92	6·96	36·2	6·90	90·65	7·89	100·84	7·10	97·70	6·17
November	6·88	6·86	6·97	36·9	6·78	93·58	7·60	102·94	6·95	95·46	6·32
December	6·73	6·63	6·78	37·0	6·76	93·57	7·60	102·06	7·01	98·08	6·14
1967 January	6·69	6·57	6·73	37·8	6·61	94·52	7·51	103·15	6·93	102·14	5·87
February	6·50	6·40	6·50	39·1	6·40	96·39	7·34	105·70	6·76	101·85	5·87
March	6·46	6·43	6·49	39·1	6·39	97·06	7·27	106·28	6·72	103·40	5·72
April	6·35	6·37	6·42	39·4	6·34	97·20	7·26	106·03	6·76	108·86	5·41
May	6·31	6·42	6·57	38·4	6·51	96·62	7·32	105·62	6·79	111·13	5·28
June	6·41	6·64	6·75	37·4	6·68	93·91	7·57	102·95	6·97	111·63	5·25
July	6·60	6·81	6·94	36·4	6·87	92·26	7·73	100·94	7·10	114·30	5·14
August	6·57	6·71	6·90	36·8	6·80	92·30	7·72	101·59	7·06	115·24	5·06
September	6·59	6·74	6·91	36·8	6·79	92·77	7·68	102·00	7·03	121·06	4·82
October	6·80	6·90	7·00	36·4	6·87	93·40	7·62	103·33	6·96	127·31	4·60
November	7·16	17·0	7·14	35·6	7·02	92·00	7·75	103·75	6·94	132·31	4·40
December	7·51	7·31	7·26	35·1	7·13	90·26	7·93	102·39	7·03	130·09	4·47
1968 January	7·52	7·30	7·26	35·2	7·09	90·40	7·91	103·15	7·00	131·75	4·43
February	7·40	7·27	7·25	35·1	7·13	90·65	7·89	103·33	7·01	135·60	4·31
March	7·48	7·30	7·29	34·8	7·18	89·78	7·98	102·37	7·08	138·49	4·26
April	7·42	7·27	7·28	34·8	7·18	90·03	7·94	102·38	7·08	153·17	3·86
May	7·53	7·36	7·36	34·4	7·26	89·75	7·98	102·28	7·11	160·17	3·68
June	7·75	7·61	7·60	33·5	7·46	87·86	8·17	101·18	7·20	163·71	3·60
July	7·80	7·69	7·70	33·1	7·55	85·43	8·45	98·63	7·39	172·37	3·42
August	7·63	7·55	7·62	33·6	7·44	86·93	8·34	98·67	7·41	176·95	3·35
September	7·51	7·50	7·63	33·7	7·43	86·81	8·36	98·77	7·40	181·07	3·28
October	7·49	7·52	7·63	33·6	7·44	86·66	8·37	99·34	7·36	175·43	3·42
November	7·64	7·73	7·83	32·8	7·63	85·46	8·51	99·48	7·35	177·57	3·40
December	7·92	8·01	8·09	31·3	7·99	81·30	9·00	96·45	7·58	181·42	3·33
1969 January	8·10	8·26	8·36	30·4	8·24	78·70	9·33	91·11	8·03	189·17	3·20
February	8·18	8·40	8·57	29·8	8·40	77·63	9·47	88·16	8·34	183·25	3·38
March	8·52	8·66	8·77	29·0	8·62	76·14	9·67	86·14	8·57	175·38	3·51

(1) Derived from yield-maturity curves fitted by computer; an outline of the method used was given in the *Bank of England Quarterly Bulletin* for March 1967. Taxes are ignored. The yearly figures are averages of end month yields. The monthly figures for 1964–66 relate to the last working day and from January 1967 to averages of Wednesdays.

(2) From 1961 to 1962 stocks with coupons below 3½ per cent were omitted from the calculation of the curves; from January 1963 the limit was 4 per cent and from January 1966 5 per cent. The effect of the break between 1962 and 1963 on the annual averages is negligible; the break in January 1966 causes a drop of 0·06 per cent in the short-dated series but does not affect the medium- or long-dated series.

(3) Average of working days, based on the mean of the middle opening and middle closing prices each day, excluding gross accrued interest; tax is ignored.

(4) Averages of daily figures calculated from middle market closing prices.

(5) Gross redemption yields of 15 stocks so combined as to give a yield average for a constant 20-year term.

Sources: Bank of England
Financial Times
Institute of Actuaries
Faculty of Actuaries

Index of average earnings of all employees (monthly enquiry) (1)

Great Britain

January 1966 = 100

TABLE 161

	All industries and services covered(2)		Manufacturing industries									
	Unadjusted	Seasonally adjusted	All manufacturing industries	Food, drink and tobacco	Chemicals and allied industries	Metal manufacture	Engineering and electrical goods	Shipbuilding and marine engineering	Vehicles	Metal goods not elsewhere specified	Textiles	Leather, leather goods and fur
1964	90·3	..	90·2	90·7	89·2	91·8	90·2	85·7	92·2	90·9	89·5	91·5
1965	97·0	..	96·4	97·3	96·2	98·3	95·9	94·7	97·9	97·2	95·7	97·8
1966	103·3	..	102·3	104·1	102·5	102·9	101·6	102·8	103·1	102·5	102·3	101·9
1967	106·7	..	105·7	109·2	106·4	106·3	104·8	104·0	105·2	106·0	106·2	103·2
1968	115·3	..	114·7	117·9	114·7	115·0	112·8	113·8	116·2	114·5	116·6	112·6
1966 January	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0
February	101·1	100·5	101·3	100·6	108·3	101·7	100·0	99·2	102·7	101·6	100·8	101·4
March	104·1	102·2	103·4	109·4	101·5	103·5	102·2	103·3	111·9	103·9	102·5	102·9
April	103·5	103·0	103·0	103·3	101·7	102·9	102·3	104·6	106·2	103·0	102·4	101·7
May	104·1	102·6	103·5	103·8	101·6	103·3	103·0	104·1	106·6	103·4	101·9	103·6
June	105·7	103·2	104·7	105·5	105·1	105·3	103·1	103·8	107·5	104·7	103·9	102·8
July	105·2	103·1	104·1	104·7	102·7	104·8	103·2	107·8	106·0	104·3	104·2	102·5
August	102·9	103·2	101·6	102·4	100·3	103·5	100·7	100·9	102·4	102·8	102·8	98·7
September	103·7	103·5	101·8	103·3	101·1	103·6	101·0	103·7	99·6	101·4	101·9	101·1
October	104·0	103·5	102·2	103·2	101·3	103·2	102·3	103·2	99·2	102·7	102·7	103·3
November	103·6	103·2	102·2	104·5	104·0	102·4	101·6	103·8	98·1	103·3	103·5	103·3
December	102·0	103·5	100·3	108·4	102·7	101·1	99·9	98·8	97·1	98·5	100·9	101·7
1967 January	103·1	103·1	102·2	103·7	102·5	102·6	102·3	103·8	101·3	102·0	102·6	100·0
February	104·1	103·5	103·5	104·5	110·6	104·3	103·0	103·0	101·6	102·8	104·4	100·5
March	102·4	103·4	101·8	111·8	101·8	103·2	100·9	98·5	100·0	101·0	97·9	99·2
April	105·6	104·3	104·4	105·5	103·6	104·6	103·8	104·4	104·9	105·0	105·1	103·2
May	105·9	104·4	105·0	106·1	103·5	104·9	104·8	105·4	106·0	105·4	105·5	102·0
June	108·0	105·4	106·5	110·7	105·7	106·7	105·2	105·3	106·3	107·3	107·5	103·4
July	108·8	106·6	107·5	111·1	107·8	109·2	106·3	108·4	106·0	109·0	109·7	105·6
August	106·2	106·5	105·0	109·0	104·4	107·6	104·2	102·8	104·2	105·7	106·9	101·5
September	108·2	108·0	106·7	109·1	106·1	108·4	105·9	105·2	103·8	108·1	107·9	107·1
October	109·2	108·6	108·2	109·7	107·5	108·5	107·3	104·4	109·5	108·6	110·2	108·7
November	110·6	110·1	109·7	110·8	112·8	109·0	108·2	106·1	111·7	111·7	110·8	107·3
December	107·8	109·5	107·5	117·8	111·0	106·9	105·7	100·3	107·5	105·6	106·1	100·1
1968 January	110·9	110·9	110·7	111·7	112·5	110·0	109·1	109·8	112·2	111·5	112·9	106·3
February	112·2	111·5	112·0	111·5	119·6	111·6	110·0	107·8	113·8	111·7	114·0	108·2
March	114·6	112·5	114·3	121·7	113·5	113·1	112·3	110·8	115·8	113·9	115·4	111·8
April	113·4	112·9	112·3	114·3	112·2	113·1	110·8	111·9	114·1	111·8	112·8	111·2
May	114·9	113·2	114·1	115·6	112·8	113·9	112·3	115·1	116·6	114·4	116·5	112·6
June	116·4	113·7	116·0	120·4	115·8	115·8	114·3	114·7	117·0	115·6	118·0	113·1
July	116·3	113·9	115·8	119·5	113·5	117·1	113·8	118·0	117·6	115·2	118·7	114·2
August	114·9	115·3	113·8	117·4	112·8	115·9	111·6	111·8	115·9	113·2	116·4	111·3
September	116·3	116·1	115·1	118·3	113·5	117·2	113·3	115·7	115·0	114·0	117·0	114·5
October	117·3	116·7	115·8	117·5	114·5	117·0	113·5	113·7	117·6	116·8	119·3	115·7
November	118·9	118·5	118·1	119·5	117·9	117·8	116·0	118·8	120·3	120·1	120·1	118·2
December	117·7	119·5	117·9	127·2	118·3	117·8	117·0	117·8	117·9	115·6	117·7	113·9
1969 January	119·9	119·9	119·8	120·7	120·3	121·3	118·9	119·8	122·8	119·0	121·4	113·8
February(7)	119·3	118·6	119·5	119·8	127·7	121·1	117·7	121·9	120·6	120·1	121·2	113·5
March												

(1) This index is compiled from the results of a monthly enquiry into total wage and salary earnings. The index has been revised and a full description is given in the *Ministry of Labour Gazette* for March 1967.

(2) The industries included in the enquiry are manufacturing, agriculture, mining, construction, gas, electricity, water, transport and communication and certain miscellaneous services. The coverage of the returns is virtually complete in gas, electricity, coalmining and rail transport. In the remaining sectors, the index is based on returns from a sample of about 7,500 firms having about 5½ million employees. In all, the returns show the earnings of about 60 per cent of the total number of employees in the industries concerned.

Source: Department of Employment and Productivity

Index of average earnings of all employees (monthly enquiry) (1)

Great Britain

January 1966=100

TABLE 161 (*continued*)

	Manufacturing industries (*continued*)										
	Clothing and footwear	Bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc.	Timber, furniture, etc.	Paper, printing and publishing	Other manufacturing industries	Agriculture (3)	Mining and quarrying	Construction	Gas, electricity and water	Transport and communication (4)	Miscellaneous services (5)
1964	89·3	90·5	92·4	89·5	88·4	92·2	91·0	93·0	89·3	87·9	91·2
1965	95·6	96·6	98·4	95·9	95·1	99·7	97·5	100·2	95·3	96·6	95·9
1966	102·9	102·9	102·9	102·0	100·7	106·3	102·8	107·7	102·5	103·7	102·6
1967	105·7	106·8	108·7	104·7	104·1	110·2	106·9	111·5	104·7	107·4	107·9
1968	113·9	115·4	117·2	114·0	112·9	117·8	111·1	121·3	110·9	116·2	116·6
1966 January	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0
February	101·0	100·4	100·0	100·7	100·0	97·9	100·1	101·9	100·5	100·3	101·4
March	103·0	101·7	102·8	104·2	101·2	99·1	100·6	108·2	101·0	101·4	103·5
April	102·7	103·1	103·0	102·9	101·4	104·7	101·5	106·4	102·1	103·7	102·9
May	102·5	104·4	103·8	103·7	101·5	104·6	102·9	108·8	103·9	103·4	102·7
June	104·3	105·5	107·3	104·1	103·2	106·5	104·1	112·3	103·7	105·2	103·4
July	106·3	103·4	107·1	102·0	101·6	110·3	102·1	111·0	104·7	106·4	102·6
August	103·4	102·5	101·4	100·7	101·0	108·8	103·0	106·5	104·9	105·3	100·4
September	103·3	103·9	104·3	101·8	101·2	111·5	104·0	111·4	102·4	105·0	102·2
October	104·1	105·1	105·1	101·8	99·8	116·1	103·8	110·6	102·6	104·7	103·7
November	103·8	104·8	103·5	102·3	99·6	109·3	104·6	108·6	102·9	104·1	104·6
December	100·9	99·7	97·0	99·8	98·1	106·5	106·9	106·2	101·4	104·6	103·4
1967 January	103·3	103·4	102·8	101·9	100·1	102·7	105·3	106·5	103·5	104·1	105·9
February	103·8	104·2	104·4	102·1	101·3	102·1	105·4	108·0	103·2	104·2	105·2
March	103·4	102·1	101·3	102·4	100·4	103·0	107·3	102·1	102·7	104·3	106·3
April	104·8	106·6	107·3	103·4	102·9	108·7	106·4	111·4	103·2	106·5	108·1
May	104·1	107·1	107·6	103·8	102·8	109·9	105·2	110·9	104·0	106·9	107·1
June	106·5	109·4	111·3	106·1	103·9	110·6	106·7	115·7	105·3	109·4	107·4
July	106·5	107·4	112·9	104·5	107·6	115·4	107·2	116·5	105·1	109·1	107·9
August	103·9	105·2	109·2	102·8	102·7	114·8	105·2	111·1	106·2	107·8	104·6
September	105·6	108·8	114·1	106·2	105·8	118·1	106·1	115·9	105·7	108·3	110·8
October	107·9	109·1	113·4	106·8	107·2	117·1	106·7	115·9	104·5	108·0	111·1
November	109·0	110·0	115·2	107·8	107·7	112·8	109·3	116·3	107·1	111·7	110·4
December	109·9	108·2	105·1	108·1	106·6	107·1	111·9	108·2	105·5	109·0	110·4
1968 January	110·1	111·8	113·7	109·9	110·0	(6)	110·3	114·1	107·8	110·9	114·4
February	111·3	111·6	115·6	110·4	110·2	(6)	110·3	116·9	108·8	111·7	115·6
March	114·6	113·5	117·4	113·7	113·0	109·6	111·7	120·7	109·4	112·4	120·1
April	109·9	113·7	116·4	111·9	111·5	115·2	110·6	120·5	109·4	112·9	117·5
May	112·5	115·6	118·0	113·3	112·6	116·2	110·4	122·8	111·6	113·5	116·2
June	115·0	116·4	118·4	116·7	113·4	114·6	111·3	124·2	112·7	113·9	115·8
July	115·6	115·0	119·0	113·9	113·9	120·6	109·0	123·7	111·9	115·5	115·2
August	112·8	115·4	116·5	112·7	111·8	119·9	110·8	120·9	112·7	117·1	114·6
September	114·3	117·0	118·8	115·2	112·7	120·2	111·7	123·8	111·4	119·6	116·8
October	115·9	116·7	119·8	115·8	113·9	125·8	112·0	124·8	111·2	121·8	117·4
November	117·0	119·3	120·6	118·1	115·5	120·2	113·3	124·9	112·0	123·0	119·8
December	117·8	118·2	111·6	116·4	116·5	115·8	111·9	118·8	112·1	122·5	115·9
1969 January	117·5	122·0	119·3	118·5	115·9	115·9	116·3	123·1	113·0	122·6	121·3
February(7)	116·7	118·8	116·8	118·6	116·3	115·0	113·3	121·0	116·2	121·7	121·6
March											

(3) England and Wales only. (4) Except sea transport and postal services. The indices from October 1966 include British Road Services. (5) Consisting of laundries and dry cleaning, motor repairers and garages and the repair of boots and shoes. (6) The epidemic of foot and mouth disease prevented visits by Ministry of Agriculture Wages Inspectors to farms in infected and adjacent areas. For this reason there is insufficient information to enable an accurate index for Agriculture to be calculated for this month but the best possible estimate has been used in the compilation of the index for all Industries and Services. (7) Provisional.

Source: Department of Employment and Productivity

Note: There are fluctuations from month to month due to such factors as bonus payments, seasonal variations in hours worked, loss of overtime pay during holidays, etc. Seasonally adjusted figures for all industries covered are given in the second column of the table. Although the seasonally adjusted figures have been revised and are now based on six years data they cannot be regarded as precise. It is not yet possible to produce reliable seasonal adjustments for the individual industries.

Average weekly earnings of manual workers(1)

TABLE 162

Earnings expressed as percentage increase over April 1956

	All operatives (excluding part-time workers)		Men (aged 21 and over)(2)		Youths and boys		Women (aged 18 and over)				Girls	
							Full-time		Part-time			
	Earnings (2)	Wage rates(3)	Earnings									
Manufacturing and certain other industries	percentage		s. d.	per cent.	s. d.	per cent.	s. d.	per cent.	s. d.	per cent.	s. d.	per cent.
1961	30	20	306 10	30	137 10	37	154 6	29	79 7	33	102 0	30
1962	34	24	317 3	35	141 9	41	160 10	34	83 1	38	104 1	32
1963 October	41	27	334 11	42	148 8	48	168 3	40	87 3	45	109 2	39
1964	53	34	362 2	54	163 2	62	179 1	49	92 11	55	119 4	52
1965	66	40	391 9	66	179 10	79	191 11	60	100 8	68	129 6	64
1966 April	72	44	405 0	72	192 10	92	199 5	66	104 4	74	135 1	72
October	73	46	406 1	72	191 9	91	201 4	68	106 4	77	135 9	72
1967 April	76	48	411 7	75	199 0	98	204 2	70	107 7	79	138 8	76
October	83	54	427 6	81	201 8	101	211 2	76	110 7	84	140 0	78
1968 April	91	61	445 3	89	215 3	114	218 10	82	114 11	91	150 8	91
October	97	63	459 11	95	214 6	113	225 11	88	118 7	97	151 4	92
Manufacturing industries												
1961	30	19	317 10	30	139 1	40	154 3	29	81 0	30	102 6	29
1962	33	23	326 10	34	142 8	43	160 7	34	84 10	36	104 6	32
1963 October	40	26	345 9	41	149 2	50	168 2	40	89 2	43	109 9	38
1964	52	32	373 4	53	163 11	65	178 11	49	94 8	51	119 11	51
1965	65	38	403 3	65	181 10	83	191 11	60	102 11	65	130 2	64
1966 April	72	42	419 4	71	195 1	96	199 5	66	106 7	71	135 10	71
October	71	44	415 6	70	192 5	93	201 3	68	108 5	73	136 6	72
1967 April	74	46	422 7	73	199 1	100	204 4	71	109 10	76	139 7	76
October	80	51	437 9	79	201 4	102	210 10	76	113 3	81	140 8	78
1968 April	89	59	456 6	87	215 1	116	219 2	83	117 3	88	151 8	91
October	95	60	472 4	93	214 10	116	226 3	89	121 2	94	152 1	92

(1) The figures represent the average earnings, including bonus, overtime, etc., and before deduction of income tax or insurance contributions, in one week in the months indicated. Administrative and clerical workers and other salaried persons have been excluded. Certain qualifications are given in a full account of the enquiry relating to April 1967, published in the *Ministry of Labour Gazette* for August 1967.

(2) From and including October 1967 includes (a) dock workers previously on daily or half-daily engagements and (b) postmen.

(3) This index relates only to the industries covered by the earnings enquiry. It should not be confused with the figures in Table 166 which cover all industries.

Source: Department of Employment and Productivity

Average weekly hours worked(1)

TABLE 163

	Manufacturing and certain other industries					Manufacturing Industries				
	Men (aged 21 and over) (2)	Youths and boys	Women (aged 18 and over)		Girls	Men (aged 21 and over)	Youths and boys	Women (aged 18 and over)		Girls
			Full-time	Part-time				Full-time	Part-time	
1961	47·4	43·6	39·7	21·8	40·6	46·8	43·0	39·6	22·0	40·6
1962	47·0	43·4	39·4	21·8	40·3	46·2	42·7	39·3	22·0	40·3
1963 October	47·6	43·6	39·7	21·9	40·5	46·8	42·9	39·6	22·1	40·5
1964	47·7	43·6	39·4	21·7	40·3	46·9	43·0	39·3	21·9	40·3
1965	47·0	42·8	38·7	21·7	39·6	46.1	42·0	38·6	21·9	39·6
1966 April	46·4	42·6	38·5	21·5	39·2	46·0	42·0	38·3	21·6	39·2
October	46·0	42·2	38.1	21·5	38·7	45·0	41·4	38·0	21·7	38·7
1967 April	46·1	42·2	38·2	21·6	38·9	45·2	41·5	38·0	21·8	38·9
October	46·2	42·0	38·2	21·4	38·8	45·3	41·2	38·0	21·7	38·8
1968 April	46·2	42·1	38·4	21·5	38·9	45·6	41·4	38·3	21·7	38·9
October	46·4	41·9	38·3	21·5	38·8	45·8	41·3	38·2	21·7	38·8

(1) The figures include overtime and correspond with those for average earnings in Table 162.

(2) See footnote (2) to Table 162.

Source: Department of Employment and Productivity

Average weekly earnings in certain industries(1)

TABLE 164

	Food, drink and tobacco	Chemicals and allied industries	Metal manufacture	Engineering and electrical goods	Ship-building, marine engineering	Vehicles	Metal goods not elsewhere specified	Textiles
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Men aged 21 and over								
1961	289 10	313 1	329 1	321 11	304 4	353 10	313 1	279 5
1962	301 2	323 9	338 3	325 7	308 8	365 11	319 10	288 7
1963 October	318 2	348 2	358 7	337 9	323 6	396 8	338 5	307 2
1964	342 6	378 6	390 3	367 2	356 10	420 9	365 1	327 5
1965	373 7	407 7	423 3	395 11	395 10	448 6	395 9	357 2
1966 April	390 6	426 9	430 5	411 5	433 0	474 11	407 7	370 0
October	394 8	424 7	429 5	411 8	425 9	439 5	406 5	370 8
1967 April	399 6	430 2	431 6	415 3	433 6	467 5	411 0	373 2
October	416 10	444 10	447 8	427 9	437 8	488 5	421 5	391 2
1968 April	425 3	467 7	465 6	443 8	466 4	519 7	444 8	407 1
October	441 11	472 11	487 8	461 6	478 7	528 11	459 5	426 7
Women aged 18 and over (full-time)								
1961	149 4	150 3	157 0	164 8	153 10	177 11	149 2	152 6
1962	155 9	156 5	160 7	170 7	156 8	188 9	155 2	157 1
1963 October	164 6	164 6	166 4	175 11	163 7	199 0	162 1	166 8
1964	173 11	173 7	180 4	186 8	172 7	210 4	172 4	176 8
1965	187 6	187 0	190 6	198 1	199 11	224 4	184 11	189 3
1966 April	195 3	193 2	197 6	207 2	211 0	240 3	191 11	195 0
October	196 2	196 4	198 2	208 8	204 4	224 8	192 8	198 9
1967 April	199 8	199 8	198 11	213 4	202 10	239 7	195 11	198 6
October	204 7	207 5	206 5	221 10	203 3	245 6	205 6	207 0
1968 April	208 9	213 6	215 4	231 2	210 3	259 10	214 0	213 5
October	219 1	220 1	223 6	236 10	215 1	266 8	218 9	223 5

	Clothing and footwear	Bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc.	Timber, furniture, etc.	Paper, printing and publishing	Other manu-facturing industries (Order XVI)	Construction	Gas, electricity and water	Transport and communica-tion(2)(3)
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Men aged 21 and over								
1961	272 0	312 5	298 1	357 4	309 11	305 1	281 6	299 3
1962	281 10	323 8	311 2	373 2	325 4	321 11	300 5	305 0
1963 October	297 1	344 2	330 4	390 0	346 5	332 7	325 6	332 2
1964	315 10	372 1	353 9	423 10	372 1	363 11	353 2	353 3
1965	344 8	400 8	379 7	456 7	396 6	395 4	368 1	395 5
1966 April	352 4	411 5	382 0	477 8	414 4	399 9	377 2	406 2
October	355 9	417 2	390 0	477 0	406 7	411 2	382 4	417 8
1967 April	365 6	428 11	389 1	478 2	419 11	412 0	385 9	419 0
October	375 2	438 9	416 2	495 2	437 0	433 8	397 9	433 2
1968 April	386 0	450 11	429 3	522 1	457 0	446 4	403 6	458 6
October	405 5	467 8	443 1	539 0	471 9	457 5	413 11	483 11
Women aged 18 and over (full-time)								
1961	148 4	145 5	166 2	162 5	147 8	142 4	150 6	218 4
1962	155 2	152 3	174 8	170 5	155 7	150 9	168 10	223 1
1963 October	161 6	160 2	184 6	176 4	164 2	156 4	174 8	231 5
1964	173 9	170 10	195 2	187 5	173 7	161 2	193 4	248 7
1965	187 3	184 11	207 3	203 0	185 7	168 5	217 0	266 11
1966 April	194 2	193 9	207 8	211 4	192 6	177 5	214 2	280 2
October	197 7	194 9	212 11	214 8	194 0	178 11	224 1	280 1
1967 April	200 5	200 7	218 9	215 10	197 5	177 3	229 2	278 0
October	203 2	205 5	230 3	218 11	204 3	197 5	230 11	290 10
1968 April	211 8	212 11	241 4	230 10	211 11	204 4	230 9	290 7
October	219 6	216 11	244 1	233 10	217 6	201 1	237 7	311 10

(1) Industries are grouped according to the *Standard Industrial Classification, 1958*. See also footnote (1) to Table 162.
(2) Excluding railways, London Transport and before October 1966 British Road Services.
(3) See footnote (3) to Table 162.

Source: Department of Employment and Productivity

Index numbers of basic wage rates and of normal weekly hours(1)

All industries and services

TABLE 165

31 January 1956 = 100

		Basic weekly wage rates				Basic hourly wage rates				Normal weekly hours	
		All workers	Men	Women	Juveniles(2)	All workers	Men	Women	Juveniles(2)	All workers	Men
1963	...	134·3	133·6	135·7	141·0	141·3	140·6	142·8	148·4	95·0	95·0
1964	...	140·6	139·8	142·6	147·6	148·6	147·8	150·4	156·1	94·6	94·6
1965	Monthly ...	146·7	145·7	149·4	155·1	157·9	156·9	160·5	167·5	92·9	92·8
1966	averages ...	153·5	152·2	157·4	164·1	168·5	167·0	172·6	180·1	91·1	91·1
1967	...	159·3	157·9	163·5	170·3	175·3	173·8	179·7	187·4	90·9	90·9
1968	...	169·9	168·6	173·1	181·5	187·3	185·9	190·8	200·1	90 7	90·7
1968	January ...	167·2	166·0	170·3	177·7	184·3	182·9	187·7	195·9	90·7	90·7
	February ...	167·7	166·5	170·8	178·7	184·9	183·6	188·3	196·9	90·7	90·7
	March ...	168·1	166·9	171·0	179·1	185·3	184·1	188·5	197·4	90·7	90·7
	April ...	168·4	167·1	171·6	179·5	185·6	184·3	189·0	197·9	90·7	90·7
	May ...	168·6	167·2	172·1	180·1	185·8	184·4	189·6	198·6	90·7	90·7
	June ...	168·8	167·4	172·3	180·4	186·0	184·6	189·9	198·9	90·7	90·7
	July ...	169·7	168·3	173·2	181·6	187·1	185·6	190·8	200·2	90·7	90·7
	August ...	170·2	168·9	173·3	181·9	187·6	186·2	190·9	200·5	90·7	90·7
	September	170·7	169·4	174·0	182·4	188·2	186·8	191·7	201·1	90·7	90·7
	October ...	171·1	169·7	175·0	183·2	188·7	187·1	192·8	202·0	90·7	90·7
	November	172·8	171·4	176·3	185·1	190·5	189·0	194·3	204·0	90·7	90·7
	December...	175·3	174·1	177·7	188·4	193·4	192·1	195·8	207·8	90·7	90·6
1969	January ...	175·9	174·6	178·6	189·2	194·0	192·6	197·0	208 8	90·7	90·6
	February	176·4	175·1	178·9	190·2	194·6	193·2	197·3	209·8	90·7	90·6
	March ...	176·5	175·2	179·1	190·4	194·8	193·3	197·6	210·1	90·7	90·6

Manufacturing industries(3)

31 January 1956 = 100

		Basic weekly wage rates				Basic hourly wage rates				Normal weekly hours	
		All workers	Men	Women	Juveniles(2)	All workers	Men	Women	Juveniles(2)	All workers	Men
1963	...	131·8	131·0	133·6	138·2	138·6	137·7	141·0	145·6	95·0	95·1
1964	...	138·0	137·0	141·0	144·7	145·6	144·4	149·1	152·9	94·8	94·9
1965	Monthly ...	143·3	141·9	147·5	152·4	154·5	153·0	159·1	164·4	92·7	92·7
1966	averages ...	150·1	148·1	156·1	161·5	164·4	162·2	171·2	177·1	91·3	91·4
1967	...	156·0	154·0	162·1	167·6	171·6	169·2	178·8	184·6	90·9	91·0
1968	...	167·6	165·7	173·3	179·0	185·0	182·6	191·9	197·7	90·6	90·8
1968	January ...	165·8	164·1	170·6	176·4	182·9	180·8	188·9	194·8	90·6	90·8
	February ...	165·9	164·3	170·7	176·5	183·1	181·0	189·0	194·9	90·6	90·8
	March ...	166·1	164·4	171·0	176·9	183·3	181·1	189·4	195·4	90·6	90·8
	April ...	166·5	164·7	171·9	177·7	183·7	181·4	190·3	196·2	90·6	90·8
	May ...	166·9	164·9	172·8	178·1	184·1	181·7	191·4	196·7	90·6	90·8
	June ...	166·9	165·0	172·8	178·2	184·2	181·8	191·4	196·8	90·6	90·8
	July ...	167·5	165·5	173·7	178·8	184·8	182·3	192·4	197·4	90·6	90·8
	August ...	167·5	165·5	173·8	178·8	184·8	182·3	192·5	197·5	90·6	90·8
	September	167·8	165·7	174·5	179·4	185·2	182·6	193·3	198·1	90·6	90·8
	October ...	168·2	166·1	174·8	179·9	185·6	183·0	193·7	198·7	90·6	90·8
	November	168·6	166·5	175·3	180·2	186·1	183·5	194·2	199·1	90·6	90·7
	December...	173·7	172·1	177·4	186·7	191·7	189·7	196·5	206·3	90·6	90·7
1969	January ...	174·4	172·8	178·3	187·6	192·6	190·5	197·6	207·4	90·6	90 7
	February ...	174·5	172·9	178·4	187·7	192·7	190·6	197·7	207·5	90·6	90·7
	March ...	174·7	173·1	178·8	188·0	192·9	190·8	198·1	207·8	90·6	90·7

(1) The figures are based upon changes in basic rates of wages or minimum entitlements and reductions in normal weekly hours, which are normallydetermined by national collective agreements or statutory wages regulation orders. The figures relate to the end of the month. A brief note on the method of compilation of the figures is given in the current issue of the *Employment and Productivity Gazette*.

(2) In general, males under 21 and females under 18 years of age.

(3) The term 'Manufacturing industries' covers all industries included in Orders III–XVI of the revised *Standard Industrial Classification, 1958*.

Source: Department of Employment and Productivity

Index numbers of basic weekly wage rates: All workers

Analysis by Industrial group(1)

TABLE 166

31 January 1956 = 100

	Total all industries	Agriculture, forestry and fishing	Mining and quarrying	Manufacturing industries						
				Total manufacturing industries	Food, drink and tobacco	Chemicals and allied industries	All metals combined(2)	Textiles	Leather, leather goods and fur	Clothing and footwear
1963	134	138	135	132	138	131	130	128	131	135
1964	141	143	139	138	144	139	136	133	135	144
1965	147	152	145	143	150	144	140	139	142	151
1966	154	158	152	150	156	149	147	145	148	157
1967	159	163	156	156	161	152	155	148	150	161
1968	170	173	163	168	169	158	170	152	157	167
1968 January ...	167	164	161	166	165	157	169	150	154	162
February ...	168	174	161	166	166	157	169	150	154	162
March ...	168	174	161	166	166	158	169	150	154	163
April ...	168	174	161	166	169	158	169	150	154	167
May ...	169	174	161	167	169	158	169	153	154	167
June ...	169	174	161	167	169	158	169	153	154	167
July	170	174	162	167	171	158	169	154	158	167
August ...	170	174	162	167	171	158	169	154	158	167
September ...	171	174	162	168	171	158	169	154	158	170
October ...	171	174	162	168	171	158	169	154	164	170
November ...	173	174	169	169	171	161	169	154	164	170
December ...	175	174	169	174	172	161	178	154	164	170
1969 January ...	176	174	169	174	173	164	179	155	164	170
February ...	176	185	169	175	173	164	179	155	164	170
March ...	177	185	169	175	173	166	179	155	164	171

	Manufacturing industries (*continued*)				Construction	Gas, electricity, and water	Transport and communication	Distributive trades	Professional and scientific services(3)	Miscellaneous services
	Bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc.	Timber, furniture, etc.	Paper, printing, and publishing	Other manufacturing industries						
1963	138	138	137	135	138	132	135	138	140	137
1964	146	143	143	142	144	141	144	143	148	143
1965	155	149	152	146	148	156	153	150	156	147
1966	161	156	160	151	154	164	159	158	162	159
1967	165	160	162	155	161	169	164	164	170	161
1968	172	171	170	177	172	175	177	171	179	172
1968 January ...	169	170	168	176	170	171	171	168	177	170
February ...	169	170	168	176	170	171	171	168	177	171
March ...	169	170	169	176	172	173	172	168	177	171
April ...	170	170	169	176	172	173	172	169	177	171
May ...	170	170	169	176	172	173	172	169	177	171
June ...	170	170	169	176	172	173	172	170	177	171
July	173	171	169	176	172	173	178	171	178	171
August ...	173	171	169	176	172	173	183	171	178	171
September ...	174	171	169	176	172	178	183	171	182	172
October ...	174	172	173	177	172	178	183	173	182	173
November ...	177	172	173	177	178	178	183	175	184	175
December ...	177	174	173	178	176	178	184	175	185	175
1969 January ...	178	177	173	183	176	178	185	177	185	175
February ...	178	177	173	183	176	179	185	177	185	175
March ...	178	177	173	183	176	179	185	177	185	175

(1) The industry groups are analysed according to the Standard Industrial Classification 1958.

(2) Metal manufacture; engineering and electrical goods; shipbuilding and marine engineering; vehicles and metal goods not elsewhere specified.

(3) Including public administration and defence.

Source: Department of Employment and Productivity

Changes in basic weekly rates of wages(1)

TABLE 167 — Annual and monthly totals(2) — £ thousand

		Number of workpeople reported as affected by		Estimated amount of change in basic weekly rates of wages(3)			Estimated net amount of increase in basic weekly rates of wages(3)						
		Increases	Decreases	Increase	Decrease	Net increase	Agriculture, forestry and fishing	Mining and quarrying	Manufacturing industries	Construction	Gas, electricity and water	Transport and communication	Other services
		Thousands											
1963		10,324	—	5,097	—	5,097	176	173	2,273	912	140	492	930
1964		9,250	—	5,018	—	5,018	70	147	1,736	505	274	900	1,386
1965		10,837	—	6,057	—	6,057	261	180	2,509	656	218	810	1,423
1966		8,595	—	4,535	—	4,535	210	160	2,475	415	100	335	840
1967		11,490	—	9,005	—	9,005	140	225	3,425	1,940	145	800	2,330
1968		11,095	—	9,475	—	9,475	265	187	5,645	905	205	940	1,328
1966	October	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	November	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	December	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1967	January	2,866	—	961	—	961	—	30	785	4	45	36	61
	February	587	—	179	—	179	106	7	53	—	—	—	13
	March	1,028	—	625	—	625	—	—	65	128	—	104	328
	April	636	—	171	—	171	—	—	27	—	—	10	134
	May	2,103	—	1,002	—	1,002	—	—	45	657	—	—	300
	June	148	—	59	—	59	—	—	17	—	—	—	42
	July	5,827	—	2,463	—	2,463	—	4	1,717	412	—	40	290
	August	912	30	379	4	375	—	—	107	—	—	36	232
	September	1,330	160	923	8	915	34	—	145	—	99	236	401
	October	345	30	207	4	203	—	148	46	8	—	—	1
	November	1,990	—	1,230	—	1,230	—	—	147	730	1	263	89
	December	980	—	820	—	820	—	37	274	—	—	73	436
1968	January	1,540	—	2,140	—	2,140	—	—	2,037	48	13	37	5
	February	845	—	435	—	435	255	—	42	44	1	—	93
	March	1,885	—	410	—	410	5	—	85	225	46	37	12
	April	385	—	185	—	185	—	7	107	—	—	—	71
	May	490	—	160	—	160	—	4	134	2	—	5	15
	June	560	—	200	—	200	—	—	52	—	—	32	116
	July	740	—	350	—	350	—	—	135	5	—	137	73
	August	535	—	475	—	475	—	—	73	—	—	401	1
	September	975	—	470	—	470	—	—	174	60	—	170	66
	October	1,240	—	620	—	620	—	5	187	7	15	27	379
	November	2,555	—	1,380	—	1,380	—	170	180	680	—	—	350
	December	3,325	1,190	2,840	195	2,645	2	—	2,438	−165	130	95	145
1969	January	715	—	310	—	310	—	—	182	—	—	23	105
	February	640	—	320	—	320	225	—	27	46	1	—	21
	March	355	—	75	—	75	—	—	58	—	16	—	1

(1) The figures relate to changes in basic full-time weekly rates of wages or minimum entitlements and do not reflect reductions in normal weekly hours without loss of pay or variations in actual earnings arising from such factors as overtime or lost time. The changes included are those determined by national collective agreements or by statutory wages councils or boards.

(2) The monthly totals in the columns headed 'Increase' and 'Decrease' relate to the number of workpeople affected by changes and the corresponding gross amounts. Workpeople affected by two or more changes are counted only once in the annual totals which relate to the number having increases only or for whom increases exceeded decreases, the number having decreases only or for whom decreases exceeded increases, and the corresponding net amounts; the column headed 'Net increase,' is therefore the overall net increase for the year.

(3) The annual totals of net increases in basic weekly rates of wages mean that the total wage bill of the country, in the industries and for the workpeople covered by the statistics, for a full ordinary week's work at basic rates of wages at the end of any one year exceeds that for the corresponding week of the preceding year by the amount stated. The average weekly wages paid during any one year will not, however, exceed those paid during the preceding year by this sum, as the actual changes will have taken place at various dates during the year.

Source: Department of Employment and Productivity

Import and export unit value index numbers(1) and tramp shipping freights

TABLE 168

	Imports 1961 = 100					United Kingdom exports 1961 = 100								Terms of trade (2)	Tramp shipping freights 1960 = 100	
								Manufactured goods								
	Total	Food, beverages and tobacco	Basic materials	Fuels	Manufactured goods	Total	Non-manufactures	Total	Chemicals	Textiles	Metals	Machinery and transport equipment	Other		Voyage charter	Time charter
S.I.T.C. Section and Division		0 and 1	2 and 4	3	5 to 8		0 to 4	5 to 8	5	65	67 to 69	7				
Weights	*1,000*	*327*	*222*	*106*	*337*	*1,000*	*125*	*843*	*86*	*65*	*123*	*428*	*141*			
1963 ...	103	111	97	97	101	104	103	104	100	102	102	106	104	101	109·0	104·8
1964 ...	107	115	103	95	105	106	107	106	101	107	106	107	105	99	112·1	119·0
1965 ...	107	113	102	90	109	108	104	109	104	109	113	110	108	102	126·5	134·0
1966 ...	109	114	103	84	114	112	104	114	106	111	119	114	113	103	113·5	132·4
1967 ...	109	113	99	92	116	114	101	116	106	111	120	118	116	105	120·5	130·4
1968 ...	121	120	107	107	135	123	106	126	113	115	130	128	128	102	123·8	138·7
1966 1st qtr	108	113	104	88	112	111	104	112	105	110	118	112	111	102	124·2	143·9
2nd qtr	110	117	105	87	114	113	105	114	108	111	121	114	113	102	115·9	139·6
3rd qtr	109	114	103	84	116	113	104	115	108	111	122	115	113	104	106·7	127·9
4th qtr	109	114	102	83	116	113	102	115	106	111	119	116	115	104	107·1	118·2
1967 1st qtr	108	115	100	82	116	114	102	116	106	112	119	117	116	105	103·3	117·2
2nd qtr	107	114	99	81	114	114	101	116	106	113	119	118	116	106	109·0	123·5
3rd qtr	108	111	97	100	115	115	101	117	107	111	120	119	116	106	125·7	136·5
4th qtr	113	116	98	104	122	116	101	118	108	111	122	120	117	103	144·0	144·6
1968 1st qtr	120	120	104	108	134	121	105	123	111	113	129	124	126	101	129·4	145·6
2nd qtr	121	120	108	108	135	123	107	126	113	115	133	127	128	102	120·6	141·6
3rd qtr	122	120	109	107	136	125	107	128	115	116	132	132	129	103	120·5	131·5
4th qtr	123	122	110	106	137	126	108	129	116	117	131	132	130	102	124·8	136·0
1967 Oct.	110	114	97	102	117	116	101	118	109	111	121	120	116	105	139·8	146·9
Nov.	112	116	98	102	119	116	101	118	109	111	121	120	116	104	146·3	148·6
Dec.	117	118	100	107	129	116	101	119	107	110	123	121	118	100	145·8	138·2
1968 Jan.	119	120	102	107	132	120	103	122	109	112	128	124	125	101	134·5	145·4
Feb.	120	120	104	108	134	121	106	123	113	113	129	124	126	101	122·0	149·0
Mar.	121	120	105	108	137	121	106	124	113	114	131	124	127	100	131·7	142·5
April	122	120	107	108	137	122	107	124	113	114	132	125	128	100	123·2	125·6
May	121	120	108	108	134	122	107	125	113	114	133	126	127	101	112·7	153·8
June	121	120	109	108	133	125	105	128	113	116	132	132	129	104	126·0	145·5
July	122	120	109	108	135	125	107	128	115	116	132	132	129	103	119·0	130·7
Aug.	122	120	109	107	136	125	107	128	115	116	132	132	129	103	123·5	129·6
Sept.	123	121	110	107	137	125	107	128	115	116	132	132	129	102	119·1	134·3
Oct.	123	122	110	106	137	125	107	128	116	117	132	132	129	102	119·4	146·6
Nov.	123	122	110	106	136	126	108	129	116	117	131	132	129	103	128·0	137·5
Dec.	124	123	111	105	138	126	108	129	115	117	131	133	131	102	126·9	123·8
1969 Jan.	124	123	111	105	138	127	110	130	117	120	133	133	130	103	120·6	133·9
Feb.	123	123	112	104	137	127	109	130	117	119	134	133	130	103	117·8	131·1
Mar.															117·9	139·7

(1) The weighting of the monthly index is based on the pattern of trade in 1961. The method of calculating the import and United Kingdom export unit value index was explained in the *Board of Trade Journal* for 13 September 1963.

(2) United Kingdom export unit value index as a percentage of the import unit value index.

Sources: Board of Trade
Chamber of Shipping of the United Kingdom

TABLE 169

Index of retail prices(1)

	All items	Food	Alcoholic drink	Tobacco	Housing	Fuel and light	Durable household goods	Clothing and footwear	Transport and vehicles	Miscellaneous goods	Services	Meals bought and consumed outside the home (2)
	17 January 1956 = 100											
Weights	*1,000*	*350*	*71*	*80*	*87*	*55*	*66*	*106*	*68*	*59*	*58*	
1962 January 16 ...	117·5	110·7	108·2	123·6	140·6	130·6	102·1	106·6	126·7	128·2	130·1	
	16 January 1962 = 100											
Weights 1962 ...	*1,000*	*319*	*64*	*79*	*102*	*62*	*64*	*98*	*92*	*64*	*56*	
1963 ...	*1,000*	*319*	*63*	*77*	*104*	*63*	*64*	*98*	*93*	*63*	*56*	
1964 ...	*1,000*	*314*	*63*	*74*	*107*	*66*	*62*	*95*	*100*	*63*	*56*	
1965 ...	*1,000*	*311*	*65*	*76*	*109*	*65*	*59*	*92*	*105*	*63*	*55*	
1966 ...	*1,000*	*298*	*67*	*77*	*113*	*64*	*57*	*91*	*116*	*61*	*56*	
1967 ...	*1,000*	*293*	*67*	*72*	*118*	*62*	*59*	*92*	*118*	*61*	*58*	
1968(3) ...	*1,000*	*289*	*65*	*68*	*123*	*64*	*60*	*91*	*122*	*61*	*57*	
1968 ...	*1,000*	*263*	*63*	*66*	*121*	*62*	*59*	*89*	*120*	*60*	*56*	*41*
1969	*1,000*	*254*	*64*	*68*	*118*	*61*	*60*	*86*	*124*	*66*	*57*	*42*
1962 ...	101·6	102·3	100·3	100·0	103·3	101·3	100·4	102·0	100·5	100·6	101·9	
1963 ...	103·6	104·8	102·3	100·0	108·4	106·0	100·1	103·5	100·5	101·9	104·0	
1964 ...	107·0	107·8	107·9	105·8	114·0	109·3	102·3	104·9	102·1	105·0	106·9	
1965 Monthly averages ...	112·1	111·6	117·1	118·0	120·5	114·5	104·8	107·0	106·7	109·0	112·7	
1966 ...	116·5	115·6	121·7	120·8	128·5	120·9	107·2	109·9	109·9	112·5	120·5	
1967 ...	119·4	118·5	125·3	120·8	134·5	124·3	109·0	111·7	112·2	113·7	126·4	
1968 ...	125·0	123·2	127·1	125·5	141·3	133·8	113·2	113·4	119·1	124·5	132·4	126·9
1967 April 18 ...	119·5	119·6	125·4	120·8	133·4	124·8	109·0	111·7	111·2	113·3	125·7	
May 16 ...	119·4	120·1	125·4	120·8	134·0	120·1	109·0	111·6	111·4	112·9	125·9	
June 20 ...	119·9	121·8	125·4	120·8	134·1	120·2	109·0	111·5	111·4	112·9	126·0	
July 18 ...	119·2	118·4	125·4	120·8	134·6	120·3	109·0	111·6	112·7	113·1	126·3	
August 22 ...	118·9	117·3	125·4	120·8	134·9	120·6	109·0	111·8	112·6	113·1	126·8	
September 19	118·8	116·7	125·4	120·8	135·2	120·9	109·0	112·0	112·7	113·5	127·0	
October 17 ...	119·7	117·0	125·3	120·8	136·8	127·2	109·3	111·9	113·2	114·6	127·6	
November 14	120·4	118·2	125·2	120·8	137·6	130·0	109·3	112·0	113·9	114·9	127·9	
December 12	121·2	120·1	125·0	120·8	138·2	132·4	109·4	112·0	114·4	115·1	128·0	
1968 January 16 ...	121·6	121·1	125·0	120·8	138·6	132·6	110·2	111·9	113·9	116·3	128·0	121·4
February 20 ...	122·2	121·8	125·1	120·8	139·4	132·7	110·4	112·3	114·4	117·6	129·3	121·9
March 19 ...	122·6	122·1	125·0	120·8	139·5	132·7	110·6	112·5	114·7	120·1	129·6	122·4
April 23 ...	124·8	123·5	127·0	125·4	140·6	133·3	113·0	113 0	119·4	124·2	130·4	126·3
May 21 ...	124·9	123·6	127·1	125·4	140·9	130·8	113·3	113·2	120·1	124·8	131·1	126·8
June 18 ...	125·4	124·1	127·1	125·4	141·3	131·9	113·6	113·4	120·4	126·7	131·3	127·5
July 16 ...	125·5	123·8	127·1	125·4	141·6	132·0	113·9	113·4	120·3	127.1	131·8	127·9
August 20 ...	125·7	123·2	127·2	127·8	142·0	132·6	114·0	113·7	120·6	127·2	132·3	128·6
September 17	125·8	122·6	127·2	127·8	142·2	133·2	114·1	114·1	121·0	127·3	133·7	129·4
October 15 ...	126·4	123·4	127·3	125·7	142·9	137·6	114·9	114·4	121·0	127·6	136·8	129·7
November 12	126·7	123·9	127·2	125·9	143·3	138·0	114·9	114·6	121·1	127·6	137·3	130·1
December 10	128·4	125·4	132·7	134·8	143·6	138·2	115·4	114·7	122·5	128·0	137·7	130·3
1969 January 14 ...	129·1	126·1	134·7	135·1	143·7	138·4	116·1	115·1	122·2	130·2	140·2	130 5
February 18 ...	129·8	128·2	134·8	135·2	143·9	138·5	116·3	115·9	122·6	130·4	140·4	131·0
March 18 ...	130·3	129·4	134·8	135·2	144·0	138·5	116·4	116·4	122·8	130·3	140·7	131·4

(1) The index of retail prices replaced the Interim index from January 1956. A new set of weights was introduced, based on ascertained consumption in 1953–54, valued at January 1956 prices. Commencing in January 1962, the weights have been revised each January on the basis of ascertained consumption in the three years ended in the previous June, valued at prices obtaining at the date of revision.

(2) The Cost of Living Advisory Committee recommended in 1962 that until a satisfactory index series based on actual prices became available half the expenditure on meals out should continue to be allocated to the food group and the other half spread proportionately over all groups, including the food group. The index for meals out for 16 January 1968 implicit in this recommendation was 121·4.

(3) Since January 1968 an index series based on actual prices has been available and indices in this series have been linked with the implicit index for meals out for 16 January 1968, to obtain indices for meals out with 16 January 1962 taken as 100.
These are the weights which would have been used in 1968 if expenditure on meals out had been treated as in previous years (see footnote(2)). The weights actually used are given in the following line.

Source: Department of Employment and Productivity

Index of retail prices(1)

TABLE 170

Indices for sub-groups
16 January 1962 = 100

	Group and sub-group weights in 1969	1968					1969		
		20 Aug.	17 Sept.	15 Oct.	12 Nov.	10 Dec.	14 Jan	18 Feb.	18 Mar.
All items	1,000	125·7	125·8	126·4	126·7	128·4	129·1	129·8	130·3
I. Food									
Total	254	123·2	122·6	123·4	123·9	125·4	126·1	128·2	129·4
Bread, flour, cereals, biscuits and cakes	37	130	130	130	130	131	131	133	133
Meat and bacon	65	131	131	131	132	133	135	135	135
Fish	8	122	122	124	125	125	127	128	128
Butter, margarine, lard and cooking fat	12	108	108	107	107	108	108	108	108
Milk, cheese and eggs	40	119	120	120	122	127	125	125	127
Tea, coffee, cocoa, soft drinks, etc.	14	108	107	108	107	108	109	109	109
Sugar, preserves and confectionery	24	131	131	132	133	134	137	139	140
Vegetables, fresh, dried and canned	24	118	116	122	121	124	126	139	143
Fruit, fresh, dried and canned	15	113	108	108	110	112	110	111	116
Other food	15	121	119	119	119	119	119	119	120
II. Alcoholic drink	64	127·2	127·2	127·3	127·2	132·7	134·7	134·8	134·8
								135·2	135·2
III. Tobacco	68	127·8	127·8	125·7	125·9	134·8	135·1		
IV. Housing									
Total	118	142·0	142·2	142·9	143·3	143·6	143·7	143·9	144·0
Rent	70	147	147	148	148	149	149	149	149
Rates and water charges	30	146	146	147	147	147	147	147	147
Charges for repairs and maintenance, and materials for home repairs and decorations.	18	119	119	120	121	121	121	121	121
V. Fuel and light									
Total (including oil)	61	132·6	133·2	137·6	138·0	138·2	138·4	138·5	138·5
Coal and coke	22	127	129	140	141	142	142	142	142
Gas	13	127	127	127	127	127	127	127	127
Electricity	24	145	145	145	145	145	145	145	145
VI. Durable household goods									
Total	60	114·0	114·1	114·9	114·9	115·4	116·1	116·3	116·4
Furniture, floor coverings and soft furnishings	29	122	122	123	123	123	124	124	125
Radio, television and other household appliances	23	105	105	106	106	106	107	107	107
Pottery, glassware and hardware	8	116	116	117	117	117	117	118	119
VII. Clothing and footwear									
Total	86	113·7	114·1	114·4	114·6	114·7	115·1	115·9	116·4
Men's outer clothing	14	119	119	119	120	120	120	121	122
Men's underclothing	5	116	116	117	117	118	119	120	121
Women's outer clothing	20	110	111	111	111	111	112	113	113
Women's underclothing	5	114	114	114	115	115	115	116	117
Children's clothing	10	112	113	113	113	113	114	114	115
Other clothing, including hose, haberdashery, hats and materials	15	109	110	110	110	110	111	111	111
Footwear	17	118	118	118	118	118	118	120	121
VIII. Transport and vehicles									
Total	124	120·6	121·0	121·0	121·1	122·5	122·2	122·6	122·8
Motoring and cycling	98	113	113	113	113	114	114	114	115
Fares	26	137	139	139	139	139	139	139	140
IX. Miscellaneous goods									
Total	66	127·2	127·3	127·6	127·6	128·0	130·2	130·4	130·3
Books, newspapers and periodicals	16	159	159	160	160	160	161	161	161
Medicines, surgical, etc. goods and toilet requisites	16	114	114	115	115	115	117	117	117
Soaps and detergents, soda, polishes and other household goods	11	113	113	112	112	113	114	114	115
Stationery, travel and sports goods, toys, photographic and optical goods, etc.	23	123	123	123	123	123	127	128	127
X. Services									
Total	57	132·3	133·7	136·8	137·3	137·7	140·2	140·4	140·7
Postage and telephone	8	123	130	137	137	137	137	137	137
Entertainment	24	127	127	130	131	132	137	137	137
Other services, including domestic help, hairdressing, boot and shoe repairing, laundering and dry cleaning	25	139	140	142	142	143	144	144	144
XI. Meals bought and consumed outside the home(2)	42	128·6	129·4	129·7	130·1	130·3	130·5	131·0	131·4

(1) The divisions I-X refer to the main groups of items as shown in Studies in Official Statistics, No. 6, *Method of construction and calculation of the Index of Retail Prices.*
(2) See footnote (2) on Table 169.

Source: Department of Employment and Productivity

Index numbers of wholesale prices

1963 = 100

TABLE 171 — Monthly averages

	Price indices of materials used in broad sectors of industry													
	Basic materials and fuels used in		Materials and fuel used in the											
	Manufacturing industry	Manufacturing other than food, drink and tobacco	Food manufacturing industries	Chemicals and allied industries	Steel industries	Mechanical engineering industries	Electrical engineering industries	Electrical machinery industry	Textile industries	Clothing and footwear industries	Timber industries	Paper industries	Construction materials	House building materials
1964	104·1	103·9	104·3	103·8	102·0	103·1	106·2	103·5	102·0	102·4	104·6	103·2	102·9	103·3
1965	105·4	106·8	103·0	107·6	105·9	106·8	113·4	108·5	97·8	104·0	108·9	108·8	106·1	107·2
1966	108·0	110·2	104·2	108·7	108·4	112·3	124·2	118·0	99·8	106·6	110·9	108·0	108·6	109·7
1967	107·5	108·4	106·0	108·4	110·0	112·0	119·2	115·8	95·9	104·4	111·3	107·3	109·1	110·1
1968	117·3	120·5	110·6	115·1	114·4	117·1	131·6	124·9	102·6	110·4	120·3	115·1	114·8	116·8
1966 July	109·5	112·7	103·9	109·3	108·8	114·0	131·0	122·9	101·0	107·4	111·5	108·4	109·5	110·7
Aug.	107·4	109·6	103·8	109·5	108·8	112·2	121·9	118·1	100·0	107·3	111·6	108·5	108·8	110·0
Sept.	106·4	108·2	103·6	108·9	108·9	111·3	118·9	116·4	98·7	107·0	111·5	108·6	108·8	110·0
Oct.	106·9	108·8	103·7	109·0	108·9	112·2	122·3	117·1	97·7	106·4	111·5	108·7	108·9	110·0
Nov.	107·4	108·9	104·7	108·1	109·0	112·5	123·0	117·6	97·5	106·1	111·4	108·7	108·8	109·9
Dec.	106·8	107·7	105·5	107·6	109·1	112·0	121·1	116·9	97·2	105·5	111·0	107·5	108·7	109·7
1967 Jan.	106·6	107·5	105·1	107·2	108·9	112·2	121·1	116·9	96·7	105·1	110·9	106·9	108·5	109·6
Feb.	106·5	107·2	105·4	107·0	109·1	112·0	120·4	116·4	97·2	104·7	110·9	107·0	108·6	109·7
Mar.	105·5	105·9	104·7	106·6	109·1	111·4	118·2	115·0	96·9	104·5	110·8	106·9	108·6	109·6
April	105·4	105·0	106·2	106·5	109·0	110·6	115·2	113·2	96·8	104·4	110·7	106·9	108·4	109·5
May	105·9	105·0	107·4	106·6	109·0	110·5	115·1	113·0	96·8	103·9	110·7	106·4	108·3	109·3
June	105·4	105·2	105·8	106·9	109·2	110·9	115·8	113·4	96·4	103·8	110·7	106·5	108·3	109·3
July	105·1	105·4	104·7	108·0	110·3	111·0	115·4	113·3	94·9	103·9	110·7	106·6	108·3	109·3
Aug.	106·3	108·0	103·4	109·0	110·1	111·3	116·2	114·0	93·7	103·6	110·8	106·4	108·8	109·8
Sept.	106·5	107·9	104·3	109·1	110·1	111·3	116·7	114·3	93·6	103·6	110·9	106·5	109·3	110·2
Oct.	108·3	109·6	105·9	109·6	111·0	112·2	118·8	115·8	93·2	103·6	111·2	107·0	109·5	110·4
Nov.	112·1	114·1	108·3	110·8	111·7	114·3	126·1	120·1	94·6	104·3	111·6	108·1	110·0	111·0
Dec.	116·8	119·7	111·0	113·1	113·1	115·9	131·5	123·7	99·8	106·8	115·6	112·7	112·0	113·4
1968 Jan.	117·5	120·7	110·8	115·1	113·3	116·6	132·8	124·8	100·6	108·0	117·4	113·1	113·1	114·7
Feb.	118·6	123·5	108·6	115·4	115·5	118·3	139·5	129·2	101·4	108·4	118·2	113·3	114·0	115·7
Mar.	119·4	124·5	109·1	115·9	115·6	119·3	143·2	131·9	102·0	109·0	119·2	113·4	114·9	116·8
April	116·4	120·3	108·8	115·6	115·2	117·2	132·6	126·7	102·2	109·5	119·4	115·3	114·8	116·8
May	115·9	118·4	110·6	115·6	113·8	116·0	127·2	122·7	101·9	109·7	119·8	115·4	114·5	116·5
June	117·0	119·9	110·8	115·6	114·0	116·6	129·1	123·6	102·6	110·1	120·2	115·4	114·8	116·8
July	116·1	119·2	109·8	114·7	114·1	116·3	128·1	123·0	102·4	110·5	120·3	115·7	115·0	117·0
Aug.	115·9	119·1	109·2	114·8	114·2	116·2	127·3	122·4	102·1	110·7	120·5	115·7	114·7	116·8
Sept.	116·3	119·7	109·3	114·7	114·2	116·6	129·0	123·2	103·2	111·3	121·2	115·9	115·0	117·2
Oct.	117·4	119·9	111·8	114·6	114·1	116·7	128·7	123·2	104·5	111·8	121·6	115·9	115·3	117·5
Nov.	118·5	120·4	113·9	114·5	114·5	117·0	129·0	123·5	104·9	112·4	122·2	116·1	115·6	117·8
Dec.	119·0	120·9	114·4	114·7	115·0	118·0	132·2	125·2	103·5	113·0	123·1	116·2	115·9	118·1
1969 Jan.	119·7	122·0	114·5	114·9	115·3	118·8	135·1	127·0	104·0	113·7	123·6	117·6	116·0	118·3
Feb (3)	119·6	122·3	113·8	115·1	115·1	119·9	137·3	128·2	103·7	114·0	124·1	118·1	116·6	118·9
Mar(3)	119·4	122·4	113·0	115·1	115·1	120·6	137·5	128·7	103·3	114·3	124·5	118·2	116·9	119·3

Source: Board of Trade

Index numbers of wholesale prices

1963 = 100

TABLE 171 (*continued*)

Monthly averages

	Price indices of the output of broad sectors of industry														Index numbers of the average value of new dwellings mortgaged by private owners (2)
	All manufactured products		Products of manufacturing industries other than food, drink and tobacco	Food manufacturing industries	Chemicals and allied industries	Steel industries	Engineering and allied industries	Mechanical engineering	Electrical engineering	Textile industries other than clothing	Clothing and footwear	Timber industries	Paper industries	New construction (1)	
	Total sales	Home market sales													1958 = 100
64	102·7	102·9	101·9	103·9	100·1	100·5	101·9	102·5	101·7	102·5	101·3	103·6	102·0	102	142
65	106·1	106·8	104·6	106·2	101·0	101·9	104·7	106·1	104·4	103·7	103·4	108·7	105·6	106	156
66	109·5	109·6	107·3	107·9	101·7	104·9	108·1	110·4	107·6	105·2	106·4	111·7	107·4	111	167
67	111·1	110·9	108·2	109·9	102·1	106·1	109·0	111·5	107·5	104·1	107·2	112·3	107·6	113	177
68	116·7	115·3	112·4	114·5	105·4	107·1	113·1	115·1	112·4	107·8	108·9	118·7	113·1	118	186
66 July ...	110·0	110·1	108·0	108·1	101·8	105·7	109·3	111·2	109·9	105·8	106·8	112·1	107·5		
August ...	110·2	110·4	107·9	108·2	101·8	105·7	109·1	111·2	109·5	105·8	106·9	112·1	107·5	113	169
September	110·1	110·3	107·8	108·2	101·7	105·7	109·0	111·1	109·2	105·6	106·9	112·3	107·6		
October ...	110·0	110·1	107·6	107·9	101·7	105·7	108·6	111·1	107·7	105·3	106·9	112·3	107·6		
November	110·1	110·1	107·5	107·9	101·4	105·7	109·5	111·1	107·5	105·0	106·9	112·4	107·6	113	169
December	110·2	110·2	107·5	108·4	101·4	105·8	108·5	110·9	107·8	104·7	107·0	112·2	107·5		
67 January ...	110·4	110·4	107·6	109·5	101·5	106·0	108·6	110·9	107·7	104·5	107·0	112·2	107·6		
February ...	110·4	110·4	107·6	109·6	101·5	106·0	108·6	110·9	107·5	104·3	107·0	112·2	107·5	113	173
March ...	110·4	110·4	107·6	109·4	101·8	106·0	108·6	110·9	107·3	104·1	107·0	112·1	107·5		
April ...	110·5	110·4	107·6	110·0	101·8	106·0	108·5	110·9	106·8	104·2	106·9	112·1	107·6		
May ...	110·5	110·4	107·5	110·0	101·8	106·0	108·5	111·0	106·6	104·1	106·9	111·9	107·6	113	177
June ...	110·6	110·4	107·6	109·8	101·5	106·0	108·6	111·0	106·5	104·0	107·3	111·9	107·6		
July ...	111·1	110·9	108·2	110·0	101·7	106·0	108·9	111·4	106·9	103·8	107·3	112·0	107·6		
August ...	111·3	111·0	108·4	110·0	102·3	106·1	109·2	111·7	107·4	103·6	107·3	112·5	107·6	114	178
September	111·5	111·1	108·6	110·0	102·5	106·1	109·3	111·8	107·5	103·4	107·3	112·5	107·6		
October ...	111·7	111·3	108·8	110·1	102·6	106·1	109·5	112·0	107·6	103·5	107·4	112·5	107·5		
November	112·0	111·5	109·1	110·1	102·8	106·3	109·9	112·3	108·4	103·8	107·4	112·6	107·6	114	180
December	113·0	112·0	109·6	110·8	103·0	106·4	110·5	112·9	109·5	105·4	107·4	113·5	107·7		
68 January ...	114·0	112·8	110·6	111·8	104·3	106·5	111·3	113·6	110·4	106·2	107·8	115·8	111·1		
February ...	114·7	113·6	111·4	113·3	104·8	106·8	112·0	114·2	111·9	106·5	108·0	117·0	112·5	116	182
March ...	115·5	114·5	112·2	113·8	105·5	107·1	112·7	114·7	113·2	106·8	108·3	118·2	113·1		
April ...	116·0	115·1	112·5	113·9	105·7	107·2	113·1	114·9	113·7	107·0	108·4	118·6	113·4		
May ...	116·7	115·1	112·4	114·4	105·8	107·2	113·0	115·2	112·4	107·2	108·6	118·9	113·4	118	187
June ...	116·9	115·4	112·7	114·8	105·6	107·2	113·3	115·3	112·5	107·5	108·9	119·1	113·4		
July ...	117·1	115·6	112·7	115·1	105·7	107·2	113·3	115·4	112·3	107·8	109·0	119·1	113·5		
August ...	117·2	115·7	112·7	115·1	105·7	107·2	113·3	115·4	112·2	107·9	109·1	119·4	113·4	120	187
September	117·3	115·8	112·8	115·0	105·8	107·1	113·4	115·4	112·2	108·3	109·2	119·5	113·4		
October ...	117·5	116·0	113·0	115·4	105·6	107·1	113·7	115·6	112·7	108·8	109·6	119·5	113·5		
November	118·0	116·4	113·1	115·6	105·4	107·2	113·8	115·7	112·8	109·2	109·7	119·8	113·2	120	190
December	119·0	117·5	113·3	116·1	105·4	107·2	114·0	116·0	112·8	109·8	109·8	119·9	113·4		
69 January ...	119·3	117·9	113·7	116·7	105·5	107·4	114·4	116·6	113·1	110·2	110·4	120·7	115·1		
February(3)	119·5	118·2	114·0	117·1	105·6	107·5	114·8	117·0	113·6	110·4	110·5	121·2	116·2		
March(3) ...	119·6	118·3	114·2	117·2	105·6	107·8	115·1	117·2	113·9	110·5	110·7	121·4	116·4		

(1) Index of building costs: figures relate to average for the quarter. The index has been rebased on 1963 = 100

(2) The index covers only dwellings on which building societies have advanced mortgages during the period. The cost of land is included. (3) Provisional.

Sources: Board of Trade
Ministry of Public Building and Works
Ministry of Housing and Local Government

Index numbers of agricultural prices

Average of 1954/55—1956/57 (July–June years) = 100

TABLE 172

	Products												Materials[1]	
	At market prices[2]						At gross prices[3]							
	Wheat	Barley	Cattle (clean)	Pigs (clean)		Wheat [4]	Potatoes [5]	Cattle (clean)	Pigs (clean)		Milk	Eggs [6]	Fertilizers [7]	Compound feeding-stuffs
				Bacon-factory	Other				Bacon-factory	Other				
1962 ...	96·2	83·8	99·3	80·4	92·8	87·2	132·5	113·6	85·5	90·3	90·5	78·6	87·4	89·7
1963 Harvest	80·5	82·4	101·9	80·1	90·4	89·4	131·0	113·3	83·9	88·3	90·7	83·0	85·9	92·2
1964 years	95·2	85·7	112·9	95·9	103·1	87·2	107·7	115·1	82·4	86·8	96·6	73·5	87·9	95·6
1965 ended	95·0	86·8	130·9	89·9	98·6	84·5	102·4	120·4	82·4	87·3	101·7	69·6	89·2	97·4
1966 June ...	93·8	91·2	134·7	96·0	101·2	80·4	102·2	122·8	82·8	87·3	102·6	77·7	91·9	99·7
1967 ...	100·3	87·9	119·3	113·3	121·0	81·2	140·2	125·1	87·2	93·7	105·2	65·7	95·1	99·5
1968 ...	96·2	87·3	129·0	108·5	117·0	84·4	106·4	131·3	88·4	95·2	105·6	66·8	108·4	102·3
1966 July ...	93·1	86·5	138·5	111·0	113·8	73·8	—	129·1	86·3	88·6	89·6	62·0	91·2	99·5
August	92·8	85·6	125·4	111·9	114 2	73·6	128·2	121·2	86·0	89·3	102·8	68·7	91·6	99 6
Sept. ...	95·4	86·6	118·1	113·1	117·6	75·5	116·0	117·0	85·9	90·9	111·3	68·7	92·0	99·0
October	100·2	85·9	106·4	112·2	118·9	79·8	119·8	114·7	85·4	91·2	113·5	69·0	92·5	99·0
Nov. ...	101·8	85·5	98·3	112·5	123·6	80·9	133·9	114·6	85·2	94·4	118·0	88·2	92·9	98·9
Dec. ...	101·4	86·7	106·8	115·9	123·9	83·1	139·5	120·1	85·7	93·9	120·0	94·8	93·3	99·0
1967 January	103·3	88·8	116·9	116·8	122·6	84·4	145·9	124·8	85·8	93·0	121·0	83·2	93·7	98·9
February	103·9	90·3	117·1	115·4	121·1	84·9	140·1	128·1	89·5	92·5	118·1	58·9	95·3	98·9
March ...	102·7	91·3	120·3	115·1	124·0	87·0	143·3	129·7	88·2	94·9	115·8	55·8	96·3	99·6
April ...	103·7	93·4	128·2	112·7	125·9	87·7	165·4	134·6	89·2	100·3	105·6	56·8	97·4	100·0
May ...	103·5	94·8	129·8	112·3	124·1	88·2	195·0	134·6	89·6	99·2	82·7	56·4	97·4	100·6
June ...	103·6	94·3	128·1	110·0	120·7	88·3	237·4	133·9	89·5	98·0	83·1	56·4	96·8	100·8
July ...	99·7	89·4	106·1	108·1	110·3	81·5	—	129·5	89·8	92·8	93·6	53·6	98·7	101·1
August	91·8	88 1	97·6	104·8	109·1	75·7	124·3	119·9	89·9	94·1	104·9	58·0	102·2	101·2
Sept. ...	93·1	85·9	103·0	106·5	115·6	76·6	104·7	118·1	89·4	96·8	112·8	63·6	102·6	100·7
October	95·1	85·3	101·4	108·5	120·9	80·7	99·0	118·4	89·0	98·3	115·4	63·9	103·0	100·1
Nov. ...	95·9	85·5	110·3	110·8	128·3	81·3	102·2	119·8	88·4	100·7	117·4	78·6	103·4	99·7
Dec. ...	99·7	87·7	141·8	116·7	127·4	84·7	104·6	128·7	88·5	96·7	118·1	83·4	103·8	99·7
1968 January	102·1	89·5	147·9	114·4	115·0	86·4	106·5	134·1	88·0	89·2	118·7	79·9	109·5	101·3
February	100·2	89·5	148·1	107·8	111·4	88·4	101·2	136·5	87·3	89·4	117·1	65·7	111·2	104·0
March ...	96·9	89·2	155·3	104·2	113·5	86·0	103·3	140·0	87·2	92·8	116·1	65·6	111·2	105·1
April ...	95·3	87·8	149·7	106·7	115·9	88·9	110·5	145·8	87·5	96·5	105·7	68·9	111·2	105·1
May ...	94·0	87·6	156·0	105·0	119·9	87·9	110·0	147·9	87·6	99·7	82·4	58·4	111·2	105·1
June ...	94·0	86·2	152·4	109·0	114·3	87·9	118·1	146·3	87·6	94·4	82·1	63·1	110·7	105·0
July ...	95·5	86·2	143·8	107·3	112·9		—	140·4	87·7	94·9	92·2	62·5	110·7	104·9
August	95·3	85·9	133·6	108·7	114·5		76·1	133·1	88·1	95·3	104·7	62·5	110·7	104·7
Sept. ...	97·3	87·9	132·2	109·5	116·2		86·8	130·2	88·2	96·4	112·1	62·5	110·7	104·4
October	102·1	89·8	129·4	111·4	119·8		101·8	129·1	88·3	97·4	115·4	66·4	110·7	104·4
November	104·0	92·5	132·5	115·5	124·7		108·6	131·7	88·5	97·7	118·8	78·2	110·5	104·2
December	105·0	93·2	144·6	121·3	123·8		114·4	138·1	88·9	93·9	119·6	91·1	110·5	104·3
1969 January	105·2	97·4	151·1	120·0	114·4		114·8	142·4	89·3	88·4	120·9	79·8	110·5	104·3
February	104·7	95·2	152·6	114·3	113·9		114·2	145·1	89·3	91·5	118·4	74·2	110·5	104·8
March ...	103·2	96·4										80·7	110·5	105·3

(1) Based on manufacturers' list prices.
(2) The market-price series are based on prices before the addition of subsidies paid to producers under the Cereals Deficiency Payments Scheme and Fatstock Guarantee Scheme.
(3) The gross-price series for wheat, cattle and pigs are based on prices after the addition of subsidies paid to producers; those for milk and eggs on prices paid to producers by the marketing boards for these commodities; and that for potatoes on producer prices, sometimes 'supported' by the Potato Marketing Board.
(4) Figures to June 1967 have been adjusted to final deficiency payments.
(5) Maincrop potatoes only.
(6) Based on guaranteed minimum prices to producers at packing station until March 1966, then on B.E.M.B. prices to producers under the Egg Contract Schemes.
(7) Based on net prices to farmers after deduction of subsidy.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

Broadcast receiving licences, cinemas and gramophone records

TABLE 173

	Broadcast receiving licences current			Cinemas(1)		Gramophone records					
	Sound only	Television(2)		Number of admissions	Gross box-office takings	Production				Sales(3)	
		Monochrome	Colour			Total	78 r.p.m.	45 r.p.m.(4)	33⅓ r.p.m. excluding medium play	Total	For export
	End of period			Weekly averages							
	Thousands			Millions	£ million	Thousands				£ thousand	
1963	3,092	12,789		7·4	1·14	85,454	1,846	61,342	22,267	21,767	2,599
1964	2,860	13,155		6·9	1·16	101,257	587	72,841	27,829	25,602	2,964
1965	2,678	13,516		6·4	1·22	93,746	475	61,809	31,462	25,453	3,460
1966	2,513	13,919		5·6	1·20	84,871	400	51,196	33,275	25,082	3,777
1967	2,583	14,910		5·17	1·14	89,833	308	51,576	37,949	27,929	3,886
1968	2,502	15,431		4·70	1·14	98,551	206	49,161	49,184	30,094	4,958
1966 April ...	2,603	13,586		7·1	1·46	6,726	44	3,764	2,468	1,750	305
May ...	2,594	13,606		5·0	1·06	6,398	50	3,886	2,453	1,690	270
June ...	2,593	13,641		4·6*	1·01*	6,198	31	4,166	2,001	1,512	196
July ...	2,592	13,674		5·4	1·19	5,144	35	3,349	1,760	1,621	273
August ...	2,586	13,716		6·8	1·50	5,787	23	3,494	2,270	1,864	262
September	2,577	13,755		5·8*	1·29*	8,208	30	4,651	3,527	2,168	448
October ...	2,551	13,782		5·2	1·15	7,630	23	3,978	3,629	2,287	411
November	2,532	13,888		4·6	1·01	8,799	21	4,661	4,117	2,406	410
December	2,513	13,919		4·6*	0·92*	7,883	33	4,849	3,001	3,794	345
1967 January ...	2,491	13,960		5·97	1·26	7,685	29	4,851	2,805	2,191	310
February...	2,477	13,988		5·58	1·20	6,681	35	4,428	2,218	1,859	268
March ...	2,506	14,267		5·04*	1·11*	6,861	22	4,243	2,596	2,143	383
April ...	2,526	14,392		5·92	1·19	6,462	28	3,661	2,773	1,754	261
May ...	2,541	14,463		4·76	1·04	6,812	40	3,806	2,966	2,017	375
June ...	2,549	14,510		4·20*	0·92*	6,299	16	3,457	2,826	2,054	324
July ...	2,554	14,556		4·88	1·10	5,944	16	3,691	2,237	1,661	296
August ...	2,584	14,687		5·96	1·30	5,761	15	3,659	2,087	1,985	237
September	2,594	14,776		5·64*	1·26*	8,207	38	4,359	3,810	2,118	257
October ...	2,601	14,862		5·40	1·26	8,882	31	4,705	4,146	2,771	374
November	2,594	14,880		5·13	1·17	10,689	31	5,511	5,147	3,270	382
December	2,583	14,910		4·02*	0·94*	9,550	7	5,205	4,338	4,106	419
1968 January ...	2,574	15,006	10	5·66	1·36	9,524	20	5,249	4,255	2,607	359
February...	2,567	15,053	15	5·05	1·20	8,434	24	4,252	4,158	2,464	396
March ...	2,557	15,073	20	4·98*	1·17*	8,214	20	4,261	3,933	2,409	393
April ...	2,533	15,111	25	5·20	1·19	7,280	8	4,128	3,144	1,939	360
May ...	2,547	15,172	30	4·43	1·02	7,469	14	3,909	3,546	1,906	304
June ...	2,547	15,196	34	4·04*	0·94*	6,433	11	3,294	3,128	1,516	274
July ...	2,556	15,275	40	4·63	1·10	6,950	21	3,567	3,362	1,851	344
August ...	2,553	15,286	45	5·31	1·26	6,571	13	3,664	2,894	2,083	329
September	2,543	15,273	51	4·75*	1·20*	8,507	13	4,442	4,052	2,313	416
October ...	2,521	15,319	58	4·70	1·20	9,454	36	3,646	5,772	3,256	572
November	2,511	15,332	67	4·21	1·08	9,862	16	3,793	6,053	3,769	722
December	2,502	15,431	75	3·72*	0·97*	9,853	10	4,956	4,887	3,930	489
1969 January ...	2,475	15,353	86	5·26	1·37	10,051	17	4,578	5,456	2,619	395
February...											
March ...											

(1) Great Britain. Figures until June 1959 were based on quarterly returns from virtually all cinemas. From July 1959 onwards, figures were estimates based on information relating to a sample of cinemas. From April 1967, figures are based on four-weekly returns submitted regularly to H.M. Customs and Excise by cinemas responsible for approximately 94 per cent of total takings with an estimate for the remainder of the cinemas, which are exempt from four-weekly returns. This estimate is based on an annual Board of Trade inquiry.

(2) As from January 1968 colour licences are listed separately.

(3) Manufacturers' sales exclusive of purchase tax.

(4) Including medium play and a small number of other types.

* Average of five weeks.

Sources: General Post Office
Board of Trade
Ministry of Technology.

Temperature, rainfall and sunshine

TABLE 174

	Temperature(1)				Rainfall				Sunshine			
	Average 1931–1960	1967	1968	1969	Average 1916–1950	1967	1968	1969	Average 1931–1960	1967	1968	1969
	Degrees Centigrade(2)				Millimetres(3)				Mean hours per day			
England and Wales												
Annual mean or total	10·2	10·3	10·0		904	988	979		3·95	4·3		
January	4·3	5·0	5·0	6·2	92	59	78	97	1·57	2·0	1·2	1·0
February	4·5	6·1	2·8	1·7	66	88	47	73	2·38	2·8	2·2	2·3
March	6·4	7·7	7·0	4·2	57	54	55	75	3·69	5·0	4·0	2·4
April	8·8	8·3	8·5		60	47	66		5·20	4·2	5·9	
May	11·7	10·8	10·3		63	137	75		6·15	5·2	5·0	
June	14·8	14·5	14·9		55	41	87		6·61	7·1	6·3	
July	16·4	17·0	15·1		79	63	105		5·73	6·4	4·6	
August	16·4	16·1	16·0		81	76	72		5·44	4·9	4·0	
September	14·3	14·1	14·5		76	97	149		4·35	3·9	3·9	
October	10·8	11·5	13·1		92	165	92		3·12	3·1	2·0	
November	7·5	6·2	7·3		95	75	74		1·81	2·1	1·4	
December	5·6	5·1	4·1		88	78	78		1·31	1·8	1·1	
Scotland												
Annual mean or total	8·7	8·7	8·3		1,419	1,503	1,302		3·37	3·4		
January	3·5	4·5	3·9	4·7	154	125	129	146	1·26	1·3	1·1	0·9
February	4·3	5·8	2·3	1·5	106	139	80	81	2·30	2·2	2·7	2·3
March	5·4	6·0	5·6	3·1	89	177	135	42	3·21	3·5	2·9	3·1
April	7·5	7·5	7·1		88	67	78		4·68	4·7	5·3	
May	10·2	9·0	8·3		87	129	115		5·86	4·9	4·7	
June	12·9	12·8	13·2		87	67	69		5·76	6·9	6·3	
July	14·6	14·2	13·5		114	97	115		4·55	4·1	4·0	
August	14·3	14·0	13·9		122	96	68		4·38	4·2	5·5	
September	12·4	12·6	12·5		128	140	130		3·66	3·0	3·1	
October	9·4	9·0	10·8		158	235	206		2·47	2·8	1·8	
November	6·3	5·8	5·9		143	122	87		1·48	1·5	1·3	
December	4·7	4·5	3·8		143	116	89		0·95	1·2	0·8	
Northern Ireland												
Annual mean or total	9·2	9·0	8·9		1,081	1,145	1,038		3·53	3·5		
January	3·8	5·0	5·1	4·5	109	81	127	132	1·53	1·5	1·1	1·0
February	4·3	5·2	1·8	1·2	76	85	40	79	2·31	2·6	3·2	2·1
March	6·0	6·3	5·9	3·3	66	87	83	48	3·34	3·3	3·0	2·7
April	8·0	8·0	7·6		67	53	59		4·97	4·6	5·6	
May	10·6	8·9	8·7		72	119	78		6·14	5·3	5·2	
June	13·5	13·0	13·6		71	40	77		5·83	5·9	7·1	
July	14·9	15·0	13·7		96	87	39		4·40	3·3	5·2	
August	14·7	14·1	14·5		102	97	74		4·39	4·2	6·3	
September	12·7	12·5	12·6		96	139	135		3·62	3·8	3·7	
October	9·7	9·2	11·8		111	159	143		2·71	2·9	2·1	
November	6·6	5·8	6·3		104	94	97		1·91	2·3	1·5	
December	4·8	4·7	3·9		111	104	87		1·15	1·3	1·1	

(1) Daily mean air temperature at sea-level.
(2) To convert °Centigrade into °Fahrenheit: multiply by 9, divide by 5, and add 32.
°Fahrenheit into °Centigrade: subtract 32, multiply by 5, and divide by 9.
(3) 1 inch = 25·400 millimetres.
1 millimetre = 0·0394 inches.

Source: Meteorological Office

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